

Merry Xmas

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THE WEATHER
Snow and colder this afternoon
and tonight. Thursday fair.

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STATE AGAINST
CINDER ROADS
ON BONDSLong Term Bond Issues To Be
Used Only On Durable And
Lasting Highway Methods

LAY DOWN DEFINITE POLICY

HARRISBURG, Dec. 24.—The State Highway Department, given authority under the act of 1919 to control the expenditure of county money insofar as it applies to the construction of roads, will not countenance the expenditure of borrowed money on any improvement other than of a durable type. Long-time bonds, the State Highway Department says, cannot be used to build short-time roads.

The Department's announcement came as a result of the visit of Commissioners of Venango County, who advised Highway Commissioner Sadler that the people of that county have in mind to use a million dollar bond issue for the construction of cinder roads. Such a procedure, the visiting commissioners were told by Commissioner Sadler, would be economically unsound.

"Our studies," said Commissioner Sadler, "clearly demonstrate that a cinder road is not serviceable under modern conditions of transportation. Upkeep of such a road would be continuous and costly. When I tell you that maintenance of surface-treated macadam highways costs this department from \$500 to \$500 per mile, you will understand what I mean to attempt to spread thin the construction program to be paid for with borrowed money. Long-time bonds should not and must not be used to build short-time roads. We cannot consent to any improvement paid for with borrowed money—money borrowed for a long period of time—that is not an improvement of durable type. Any other plan would be extravagant waste. If Venango county chooses to pursue a course of that kind, I would suggest the levying of an annual tax. The Highway Department proposes to exercise over large county bond issues the control given it in the act of June 12th, 1919. To put down cinder roads would mean annual rebuilding. The continuing cost prohibits this type of construction. And long before the maturity of the bonds issued to pay for the cinders the roads would have disappeared. Such procedure is economically unsound. The state cannot countenance such wasteful methods."

This ruling applies not only to Venango county, but to every other county in the state. The act of June 12th, 1919, gives the Highway Department control of county expenditures for road building.

BASKET BALL GAME
FOR BENEFIT OF THE
CHILDREN'S HOME

The High School Basketball team will meet the Alumni of the school at the High school gym on Christmas night.

This game will be well worth seeing and as the proceeds are for the benefit of the Children's Home a capacity house should greet the huskies when they line up for the battle.

The present High School team is worthy the best traditions of the school and as the Alumni team will be made up of the stars of other years a real battle may be confidently looked forward to.

Get your seats and be on hand early if you desire to get in.

AN APOLOGY

Jim's took to rittin' poetry,
And it's rotten riddin', too.
But then—he's dry, 'is heagle h'ey,
Sees no more "Mountain Dew."

On a jury restere'en,
To try a man whose mind did wander;
It must have been contagious
For him—Old K. C. B. to slander.

Good folks, you'll please forgive him,
He'll ne'er do it again.
Tomorrow morn' 'twill be all over,
And he'll be once more safe and sane.

WILL PARADE
WITH HANDS
MANACLEDNew York Pacifists Protest
Against Imprisonment of
Debs And Haywood

POLICE MAY CALL IT OFF

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—Unless the police interfere, 2,000 radicals will march up Fifth avenue tomorrow morning with their hands manacled and their costumes draped in mourning as a protest against the imprisonment of persons convicted under the Federal Espionage act. The chief aim of the unique demonstration will be to rouse the sympathy of church-goers in behalf of "political" prisoners.

There'll be no bands of music, there'll be no grand marshal, and, it is hoped, there'll be no police. Bands of ribbon, however, there will be aplenty, with such legends as "Let good will unlock the doors for political prisoners;" "This is Christmas Day, will you keep 2,000 men and women in jail for believing in brotherhood?" "Let Christians unlock doors for those who would bring peace on earth," and "Mohammedan Turkey has released all her political prisoners; will Christian America keep hers in jail?"

Such, in general, is the plan as outlined by the Free Political Prisoners Committee of the People's Freedom Union, the organization which is making the arrangements for the demonstration. No police permit has been issued for the parade, but those back of the movement contend that no permit will be necessary as the marchers will walk in single file, and the procession will not be a street parade as defined by the law.

As announced, the purpose of the march is not in the interest of the anarchists and radicals who have been condemned to deportation, but is designed solely for the benefit of "political prisoners," such as Eugene V. Debs, "Big Bill" Haywood, Kate O'Hara, and others who are serving sentences for violation of the espionage act or the draft law.

TWO NEW BUSINESS VENTURES

Daisy Thorn Johnston has purchased the Market street millinery establishment formerly conducted by the late Miss L. S. Hahn, and has already taken charge of same. The Clearfield store will be run in conjunction with the store recently established in Philipsburg. Daisy Thorn Johnston needs no introduction at our hands to the ladies of Clearfield and vicinity who are delighted to have her millinery establishment again numbered among Clearfield's up-to-date business places.

Daisy Thorn Johnston had already leased the corner room in the old Windsor hotel property but since purchasing the Hahn store the Thompson block room will be utilized as a confectionery store. It will be known as the "Virginia Chocolate Shop" and will be managed by George W. Johnston. Mr. Johnston is an experienced confectioner and expects to be able to open his store with a choice line of the finest and best confections shortly after the first of the year.

SPORTING NOTES

The Clearfield Athletic club is arranging an entertaining program for the devotees of the Art Flitiana for New Years day. The show will be given at The Driggs theatre during the afternoon and the program will appeal to all lovers of the real sport of kings.

The principal bout of the afternoon will be between Johnny Wolgast, of York, Pa., who has made a whole host of friends among Clearfield sports by his aggressive work in the two bouts he has engaged in here, and Kid Sheeler, a Philadelphia boxer of note, who is regarded as one of the best 155 pound men in the Quaker City.

In addition to the main bout a number of good preliminaries will be given and an enjoyable afternoon may be looked forward to. Popular prices will prevail.

NOTICE

The car of flour ordered for the railroad men will be in any time now. Please be ready for it.
P. R. R. J. A. BRETH.
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NINE BURNED
IN ASYLUM
BLAZEConnecticut Institution Which
Housed Fifty-three Burned
Late Last Evening

SECOND FIRE IN TWO YEARS

MIDDLETOWN, Conn., Dec. 24.—Nine of the fifty three patients occupying the farm cottage of the Connecticut Hospital for the Insane, were believed to have perished in a fire which destroyed the building last night. That number of occupants were missing and R. L. Logg, assistant Superintendent said they were not the type that would run away. The ruins will be searched today for their bodies. Medical Examiner Cales is conducting an investigation into the deaths and will report his findings to Coroner S. C. Davis. The loss is estimated at \$25,000 to \$30,000.

The fire was discovered about 7:30, and is supposed to have been caused from an over-heated furnace. Dr. F. L. Haviland, superintendent of the institution, stated that none of the patients who were rescued and removed to other buildings, suffered from exposure. A previous disastrous fire occurred at the hospital on the morning of January 10th, 1918, which broke out in the main building. Four patients lost their lives. The patients who are believed to have been lost in last night's fire, were known as "trusties" and were allowed more or less liberty. Most of them were in bed. The one attendant who was present, discovered the fire under the floor. He informed the main hospital a considerable distance away, but before help arrived, the fire had gained great headway. The attendant and his wife were sleeping when the fire broke out. The patients who lost their lives, were on the second floor, and it is believed they were smothered by the smoke.

Some Country

Minnegan, a railroad worker, though not he of "the grain of grain" fame, returned to Ireland recently on a visit. On being questioned by his relatives concerning the wonders of America, he described its size as follows: "Why, Americkin is so big that if ye want to drag England through the Shutes ye wouldn't have a mark in the dirt, an' ye could lose Ireland entirely in wan of them great inland oceans we have, plawat we call lakes, an' if ye had Scotland to get rid of there are a thousand corners to hide her in, an' nobody could tell plawat ye'd put her, except, begorra, for the strong smell av whisky."—Boston Transcript.

How Frogs Protect Eggs.

In the manner of disposing of their eggs many species of frog exhibit remarkable peculiarities. One of the most curious, a tree frog, native of Paraguay, makes its nest in a bush overhanging a pond. The lower ends of a number of leaves are drawn together and fixed in that position by a number of empty egg capsules. The eggs are also covered with a shield of empty capsules to protect them from the sun and air. When the eggs are hatched the plug at the bottom appears to fall out and the tadpoles tumble into the water.

Chinese Wheelbarrows.

Probably more freight and more passengers are transported in China by the wheelbarrow than by any other land method. The wheelbarrow there used differs from that used by us, in the fact that the wheel is set in the center, and thus supports practically the entire load, while the handles are supported in part by a strap of rope over the shoulders of the man who operates it. As a result, the wheelbarrow croule in China will transport nearly a half-ton on his vehicle.

Crocodile's Agility.

The moment that a young crocodile breaks its shell it is to all intents and purposes as active as it is at any time during its life. It will make straight for the water, even if it be out of sight and a good distance off, and it will pursue its prey with eagerness and agility during the first week of its free existence.

Sarcastic.

"Tomorrow," howled the exasperated manager after he had seen the ninth packageless patron leave his shop. "I'm going to put a showcase of gold dollars out front, marked down to 90 cents and see if you get rid of few of 'em."—Public Ledger.

S. A. E. FRAT TO
BANQUET AND FORM
ALUMNI ASSOCIATION

An event of more than usual interest in college affairs will take place on Friday evening in Clearfield when the members of the Sigma Alpha Epsilon Fraternity will banquet at the Hotel Domeling. College fraternities of the higher class have come to be a part of the curriculum of the modern college and so binding are the ties of fellowship and fraternity formed in school days that college men carry their fraternity membership through life and never let an opportunity pass to boost for their fraternity and their college. These fraternities have been the means of stimulating greater interest in college life and in real service and usefulness after leaving the doors of the institutions of learning. The Sigma Alpha Epsilon is one of the more prominent of college fraternities and it is gratifying to note that at least thirteen Clearfield college men are identified with it. At least that many more are residents of DuBois and the banquet to be held here Friday evening at six o'clock will be a combination of the men of the two cities or rather of the whole county. It is the purpose of the moving spirits in the affair to form a Clearfield County Sigma Alpha Epsilon Alumni Association and this feature is a novelty as there are no alumni associations outside of the very large cities.

ATTENTION FARMERS

The regular annual meeting of the Clearfield county cooperative association will be held at the court house in Clearfield on Tuesday, January 6th beginning at 10 o'clock.

The secretary will make a report of the business during the past year. Election of officers, time storage houses and other business for the coming year, will be some of the main problems to be discussed and acted upon by the farmers of the county. This is your organization, its success depends upon you. If things have not been done during the past year as you think they should, now is the time to make the changes. Every stock holder is especially urged to be present for the election of officers. Tell your neighbors and help get out a good representation. Remember the date, January 6, 1920, 10 A. M. in the court house.

W. C. STERRETT

PICK POCKETS AFTER FAT PAYS

CONNELLSVILLE, Pa., Dec. 24.—Two alleged pick pockets under arrest here revealed to the police, the latter said, plots of scores of pick pockets from Pittsburgh, Cleveland, and Chicago who intended coming to this district when the non-union coal miners were receiving hundreds of dollars. Although few men have been arrested the supposed aim of the crooks is believed to have been thwarted.

STOCK OPENINGS

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—The stock market today opened higher. United States Steel opened at 104 1-2 up 1-8. Baldwin at 109 3-4 up 3-8. Anaconda at 58 1-4 unchanged. Mexican Petroleum at 217 up 1.

MICKIE SAYS

BRING HER NEXT JOB OF
PRINTING IN HERE AN IF HER
MIDDLE INITIAL IS "P," MEANING
"PARTICULAR," WE CHANGE IT TO
"PLEASED!"

MEXICAN FARMER
MUST PLACATE
BANDITSBetter To Deal With Them Than
Run Chance of Having Ill
Will of Marauders

PROSPEROUS AND CONTENTED

By RALPH H. TURNER

(United Press Staff Correspondent.)
SAN LUIS POTOSI, MEXICO. (By Mail)—It doesn't pay to antagonize bandits by attempting to resist their depredations. Let them have their way, lest they be irritated. Or, if it can be done discreetly, "play the game with them."

This is the philosophy of a great many farmers in the San Luis district, located in the central Mexican state of the same name—a state which is about equal in size to the area of West Virginia. The farmers appear to have acquired this reasoning through a wealth of experience. Their dealings with the local marauders have taught them it is the wisest method to pursue.

And the practice does seem to have obtained a measure of result, even though its workings are not always above the suspicion of the Carranza government. At any rate, the "diplomatic" farmer of this section is able today to work his land; he is producing. The bandit, of course, may become over-zealous on occasions, but the farmer figures that by and large it is wisest to adopt the following tactics:

When the bandit makes his appearance, cooperate with him. Meet him half way. If he demands food or other supplies, hand them to him. Better do this than resist and have the bandit take everything—and perhaps endanger life at the same time. By this placating attitude, the man on the soil reasons, he will be allowed to continue the operation of his farm. The story, however, is not without the other side. Federal forces are working to suppress banditry and establish order. The opportunist policy of many of the farmers, they declare, is often equivalent to connivance with the bandits and impedes the government's efforts for law and order.

But the important feature is that the struggle for peace appears to be making headway. The farmer of San Luis Potosi is going to work.

FIND SIX STILLS NEAR SHARON

SHARON, Dec. 24.—Six additional stills have been found by revenue and police officers in this district and four men charged with illegal manufacture of whiskey are being taken to Pittsburgh today for a hearing. Four stills are alleged to have been found on the farm of Max Smith and two others were located in Sharon borough.

KING OF ITALY PLANS VISIT HERE

LONDON, Dec. 24.—An exchange telegraph dispatch from Paris quoted Rome advices as declaring that King Victor Emanuel of Italy plans to visit the United States and South America unless the political situation prevents. The dispatch did not state when the King plans to leave Italy.

FORD WAGE RATE TO STAND

DETROIT, Dec. 24.—E. S. Liebold, Henry Ford's personal secretary today denied reports that the Ford Motor Company plans to make an immediate increase in wages of its employees. His denial followed publication of a statement that a minimum wage of \$8.00 per day was planned.

SMOKERS STRIKE

LONDON.—Croydon smokers have formed a league to "strike" against tobacco trade profiteering. Members are pledged to down pipes, cigarettes and cigars, until prices are reduced and a standard of purity guaranteed.

Didn't Seem Funny to Him.

Little Augusta had never seen a bald-headed man closely until one day a friend of the family came to dinner. When we were all seated at the table Augusta looked very intently at his bald head for several minutes, then whispered in mother's ear: "Mother, hasn't Mr. Reid funny, shiny, pink hair?"—Exchange.

MORE TRUTH THAN POETRY

How happy the thought as our mind turns backward
To compare conditions now with days forever bye;
When the tangle-foot rum hound and the "bar fly" hard by him
Lurched along the street with whiskey bleared eye.

How happy the change! Can any man decry it.
The war-time prohibition which made our land "dry";
The rum-guzzling boozier no longer slinks barward
To fill his tank up with the mind-killing rye.
Nor guzzles nor swizzles, beer, wine, gin or brandies
As his poor neglected children go shivering by.

Gone is the booze—the bar room stands empty,
The headlight of the "rum hound" is crimson no more.
Daddy's now helping to get ready for Christmas
Which this year will be merrier than ever before.

BELIEVE WORK OF RUSS AGENTS TO
BE PART OF GERMAN SPY SYSTEM

WASHINGTON, Dec. 24.—Disclosure of the Senate investigation of Russian propaganda in the United States which will begin soon after the new year are expected to show the presence of German secret agents here in disguise as Russians, Senators said today. Information given members of the foreign relations committee indicated that one of these agents who during the war was active in the German spy system has free entree to the State Department, where he has been well vouched for by a reputable man. The investigating committee will go into the status of Bakhmetreus, the Russian ambassador in Washington, Senators said, as well as into the case of Ludwig C. Martens, who claims to represent the Soviet.

MEXICO RELEASES TWO AMERICAN
SAILORS ON DEMAND OF U. S.

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 24.—The two announced tonight. An investigation of the affair is continued, however, it was said. According to one report the sailors were armed when they came ashore. Another report given their liberty it was officially said they were intoxicated.

PRETTY HARD ON THE GERMANS

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—American distillers have begun to ship large consignments of whiskey to Hamburg for the German market it was learned today. Many shipments already have been made to Great Britain, France and Italy but only recently have American distillers decided to convert the Germans to "hard licker."

HOME CHILDREN ENTERTAINED
AT COMMUNITY XMAS TREE

The entertainment committee of the association secured volunteers to bring the children from the county home in their autos. They enjoyed the free entertainment at the Y. M. C. A. community Xmas tree which is beautifully illuminated with red, white and blue electric lights.

The entertainment consisted of music, singing and clog dancing by John Thomas.

Santa Claus made the rest of the evening with his trained reindeer. After which he gave each one of the children a bag of candy. Tonight everybody is invited to the entertainment at 7:30.

INSTITUTE DATES FOR THE
FARMERS

Farmers' institute for the month of January were announced by the state department of agriculture last week. Special effort has been made to solve local farm problems with the object of improving crop production for both quality and yield. Speakers have been assigned that will meet these requirements who have had both training and experience.

The schedule for Clearfield county is as follows:
Clearfield county, Curtis F. Read, chairman, Clearfield, Pa. Blue Ball, January 26-27; Harmony church, January 28-29.

RAILROAD RETURN NOT
BEFORE APRIL 1st

WASHINGTON, Dec. 24.—Return of the railroads to the owners has been postponed by President Wilson until April 1, at the earliest, it was generally believed here today. It seemed virtually certain the lines cannot possibly be handed back January 1, as Wilson first intended to do. Congress has passed no legislation to regulate and care for the railroads when the government relinquishes its control.

ALL KANSAS MINE
WORKERS BACK
THIS MORNING

PITTSBURGH, Kansas, Dec. 24.—All striking miners in the Kansas coal field were back at work today following the release from the jail at Indianapolis of Alexander Howat, president of the state miners union. Howat was expected to arrive here today from Indianapolis. The miners who returned to work included several hundred men who struck when Howat was jailed and 1,500 employed by the Central Coal and Coke Company who walked out last July.

FORMER RESIDENT IS DEAD

Lloyd Hughes, son of the late Harry E. Hughes, and a former well-known Clearfield boy, died at 11:30 o'clock last evening, according to a telegram received this morning by Lloyd Kracht, from his sister Rachael at Williamsport.

"Teddy," as he was familiarly known, was raised in Clearfield. He learned the painting and paper hanging business with his father, but during the latter years of his residence here, was employed as a clerk at the Wither Inn and Windsor Hotels. He was about 35 years of age and was married to a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Falls, of Surveyor, who survives him.

"REDS" ON BURFORD PEACEFUL
—THERES A REASON

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—Peace has reigned continual on the United States army transport Burford since she left port here Sunday with 2,700 Reds being deported to the land of the Bolsheviks according to United States army officers. Peace will continue, these same officers declared, because rigid army rules are being enforced.

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MERRY CHRISTMAS. SEE YOU FRIDAY EVENING

No excuse for long evenings this winter. Look at the list of serial features we are starting tomorrow. Every one of them by a Saturday Evening Post star.

How about your New Year resolutions? Since the advent of prohibition there is going to be a slump in resolutions unless some of us have other vices which need curbing.

NO LONGER NATIONAL BIRD

A few of the "idle rich" were able to purchase dressed turkey at Clearfield prices—65 to 68 cents per pound, but there were darn few of them. The "turk" has been deposed as America's national bird by common consent. He roasts too darn high.

WHO WON THE STRIKE?

"Who won the coal strike?" asks a writer in a current weekly. Mr. Palmer says the Government won it, Mr. Lewis says the miners won it and the operators say they won it.

We don't know who won it, but we know who lost it.

With a loss in production of 30,000,000 tons of coal, a loss in wages to miners of \$50,000,000, a loss to the operators of \$12,000,000, large loss to manufacturers through fuel shortage, thousands of men out of work and an inestimable loss to the people in general, it seems fairly clear to us that the public lost the strike. Sometimes, indeed, we are tempted to believe that nobody really won it and that everybody lost it.

At all events, the public is more than ever out of humor with strikes and strikers, and if you doubt that, ask the first man you happen to meet, or the next hundred.—Harrisburg Telegraph.

A WHITE CHRISTMAS

The predicted snow flurry arrived on scheduled time this morning and a real old-fashioned Christmas will be our lot this year, thus dissipating the fear of the superstitious that a "green Christmas makes a fat graveyard."

DEMANDS A MANDATORY

Immediately following the Christmas recess Charles M. Rhine, the tobacco merchant, will petition the U. S. Senate for a good big husky guy to assume the duties of a mandate over the League of Nations and other political discussions by and between the gentlemen of leisure and other political philosophers to be found daily and nightly at this popular loafing place engaged in settling the affairs of municipality, state and nation by word of mouth—or many words of mouth.

Last night when a "peace at any price" Democrat produced a copy of Senator Lodge's 1914 speech and attempted to draw the deadly parallel between his remarks then and his utterances now Mr. Rhine had to threaten to call out the fire department a couple of times before he could get the factions down to earth and peacefully separated.

He says he will have to have a mandatory or shut up shop until the treaty is finally disposed of.

NOTICE TO SOLDIERS OF COOPER TOWNSHIP

The ex-soldiers of Cooper township will hold a meeting in the High School building, Friday evening, January 9 at 7:30, for the purpose of organizing a local post of the American Legion. Every ex-soldier should be present at this meeting.

John Variot, of Frenchville transacted business in Clearfield today.

To Everybody We Know
And
Everybody That Knows Us
A Merry Christmas

Clearfield Laundry

To Our Friends
Big and Little
A Merry Christmas
Kurtz Stationery Store

TO EXTEND GAME RESERVES

Plans for extension of the number of State game preserves, both State-owned and auxiliary, will be taken at the meeting of the State Game Commission on January 8. It is possible that requests for additional lands on the part of game officials from New York and other States will be brought out-right from the hunters license revenues and established as preserves. Applications for creation of two auxiliary reserves in Bucks county and one in Butler are pending. The game preserves will be inspected this winter by game officials from New York and other States.

Merry Christmas

All The Joys And Happiness
That The Greeting Carries With It
Electric Supply Co.



Grandmother kept her hair beautifully darkened, glossy and attractive with a brew of Sage Tea and Sulphur. Whenever her hair took on that dull, faded or streaked appearance, this simple mixture was applied with wonderful effect. By asking at any drug store for "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound," you will get a large bottle of this old-time recipe, improved by the addition of other ingredients, all ready for use, at very little cost. This simple mixture can be depended upon to restore natural color and beauty to the hair.

A well-known downtown druggist says everybody uses Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound now, because it darkens so naturally and evenly that nobody can tell it has been applied—it's so easy to use, too. You simply dampen a comb or soft brush and draw it through your hair, taking one strand at a time. By morning the gray hair disappears and another large bottle of this old-time recipe, improved by the addition of other ingredients, all ready for use, at very little cost. This simple mixture can be depended upon to restore natural color and beauty to the hair.

Political Announcements

We are requested to announce the name of Harry B. Scott, of Philipsburg, Centre county, Pa., as a candidate for delegate to the Republican National Convention, subject to the decision of the Republican Primaries, to be held May 15th, 1920, P. O. address, Philipsburg, Pa.

We are requested to announce the name of A. H. Gaffney, of Kane, McKean county, Pa., as a candidate for delegate to the Republican National Convention, subject to the decision of the Republican Primaries, to be held May 15th, 1920, P. O. address, Kane, Pa.

We are requested to announce the name of H. B. Southworth, of Mansfield, Clarion county, Pa., as a candidate for Alternate Delegate to the Republican National Convention, subject to the decision of the Republican Primaries, to be held May 15th, 1920, P. O. address, Mansfield, Pa.

RENEWED TESTIMONY

No one in Clearfield who suffers backache, headaches, or distressing urinary ills can afford to ignore this Clearfield woman's twice-told story. It is confirmed testimony that no Clearfield resident can doubt.

Mrs. John E. Confer, 1111 Dorsey street, says: "I have used Doan's Kidney Pills and found them to be an excellent medicine for backache and kidney trouble. Another of my family has also used Doan's for distressing pains in the back and has derived benefit from their use. I have nothing but the highest praise for Doan's and I am always glad to recommend them to others suffering from their kidneys. I bought this medicine at Woodward & McPherson's Drug Store." (Statement given December 8th, 1912.)

LASTING BENEFIT

On February 18th, 1919, Mrs. Confer said: "I haven't had to use Doan's Kidney Pills since I last recommended them in 1912. I still think highly of this medicine."

Price 60c at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the name that Mrs. Confer had. Foster-McBee Co., Agents, Buffalo, N. Y.

SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASSING ATTENTION

Mrs. Emery's class of the West Side Sunday school will hold their business meeting at the home of Mrs. Ethel Brown on William street Friday evening at 8:00 o'clock.

Following the business meeting the class will entertain the members of Roy Boyce's class of the same Sunday school. All members of both classes are requested to be present.

Ford
THE UNIVERSAL CAR

Regardless of the weather—rain or snow—whether going to and from the office, shopping, attending an evening's entertainment, or traveling back and forth to school one may have the comfort and refinement of the home in a "Ford" car.

We offer as a suggestion for a Christmas gift, one that will be appreciated by the entire family—A FORD SEDAN—\$875.00 F. O. B. Detroit.

Williams Auto Sales Co.
208-210 North Third St.
Both Phones Clearfield, Pa.

This Would Be A
Practical, Lasting Gift For
Christmas

A Clearfield National Bank Book with a Savings Account already started.
Son or Daughter, Brother or Sister, Nephew or Niece will be thankful.
Nothing could be better.

Clearfield National Bank

"The Bank of South"
Clearfield Pennsylvania

CHRISTMAS DINNER

At The

Allegheny House

12:30 to 2

Chicken or Turkey

The Solid Foundation

Are you laying a solid foundation for the future?

If a time comes when you are not able to work, will you be in a position to take care of yourself, or will it be necessary to depend on another's charity?

Provide for the future by saving a part of all you make. You need not fear the "Rainy Day" if you have money in the bank.

The County National Bank invites your account. It pays 3 per cent. interest on savings.

The County National Bank
OF CLEARFIELD

Resources over \$6,000,000.00

Special Candy Prices

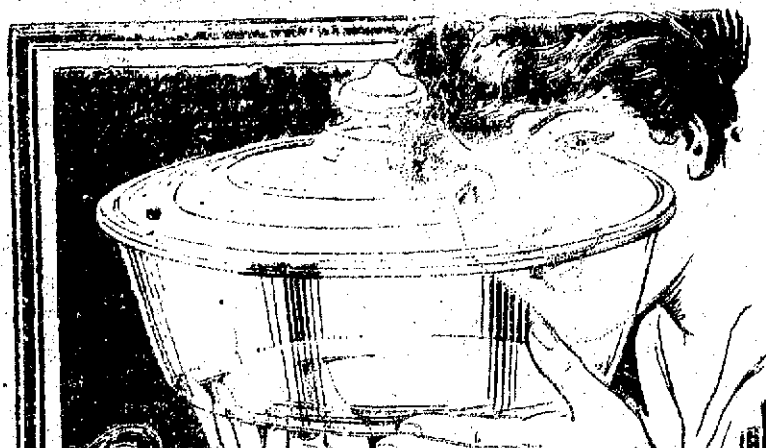
A large shipment of Fancy Box Chocolates came by express yesterday on the road since Dec. 9. In the meantime we had to buy Candies. We now have more than we need. The result is, the Dollar Fancy Chocolates will sell at 79c the box. A special lot of Fancy Florida Sweet Juicy Oranges on sale while they last at 45c doz. Try our special Chocolate Mints at 50c the pound. Jumbo Salted. Peanuts 60c lb. Try one quart of our Imported Olive Oil, You will then use only this kind.

Leitzinger Bros.

GIFTS HERE for EVERYONE

This Store Holds a Vast Variety of Gifts
That Anyone Would Like To Receive

Lots of people have gotten enthusiastic over the array of gift things we have been showing—but when you stop to consider the quality, the utility, the appropriateness of these gifts it is small wonder that they carried them away in armfuls.



Casserole, the PYREX way

Easiest because it is transparent. Avoid the guesswork and uncertainty. Look through your PYREX and see the food baking.

PYREX—the original transparent oven-ware—is sanitary and practical for everyday use and is guaranteed not to break in the oven.

Durable and economical—saves time, fuel and dishes—you bake in and serve from the same dish.

Food actually tastes better when PYREXED—the full flavor is retained because the baking is quick and thorough.

PYREX HEADQUARTERS



The Children's Aluminum Sets Arrived And Are Going Fast.

These little sets—an exact miniature of mother's—will set the little one's heart a-bounding. There's every utensil for every need of the little housewife and many hours will be spent in "keeping house." Being aluminum they're well-nigh indestructible and will last for many months.

Different Sizes 90c to \$3.00

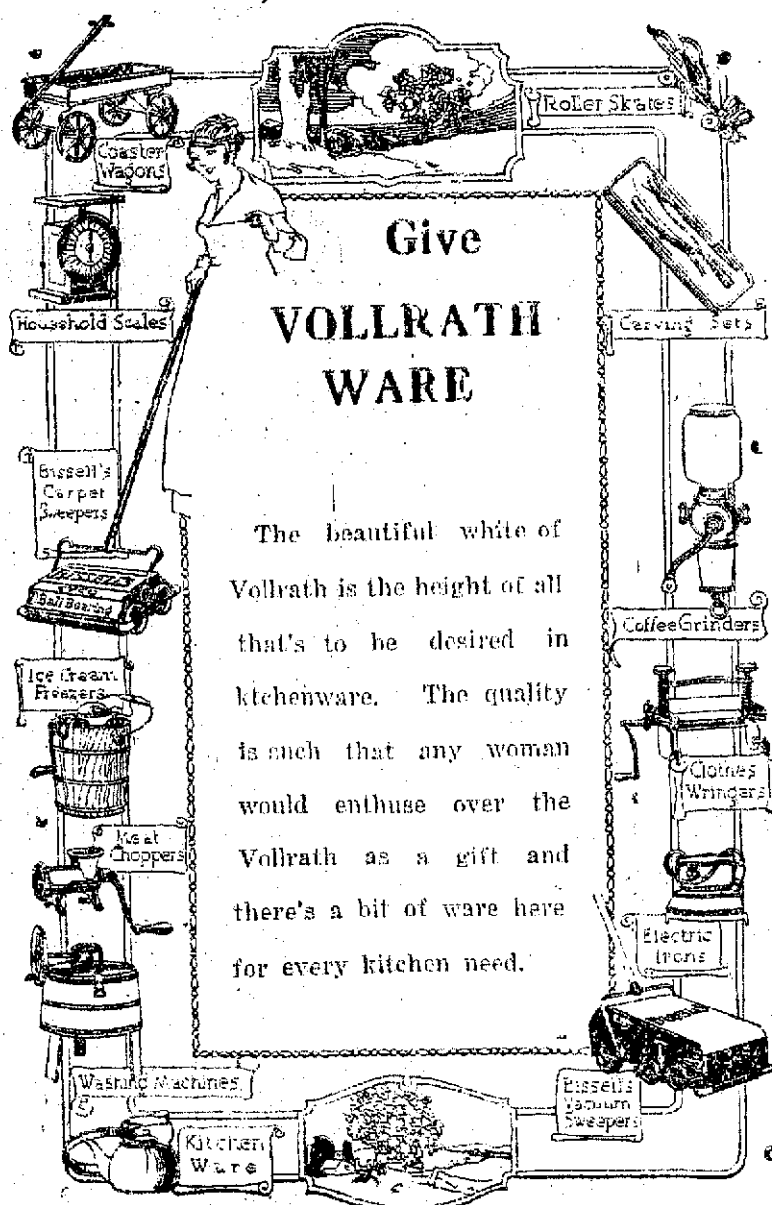
Cutlery For Christmas

When we say "cutlery" it embraces everything from the boy's "jackknife" to the finest carving set or the keen edge, high standard razor.

In the section there are heavy pocket knives, fancy pearl handled knives, carving sets with different sorts of mountings, odd carving knives, scissors, razors, straight edge and the best known safety razors—something that will make a gift from six to sixty.

Thousands of Other Gifts Here For You.

We have arranged a display that includes a host of gift things for your last minute shopping. No matter what sort of gifts you yet have to buy. The array is too varied to enumerate but rest assured that there is the needed gift—the one that has been a puzzle to solve.



**Give
VOLLRATH
WARE**

The beautiful white of Vollrath is the height of all that's to be desired in kitchenware. The quality is such that any woman would enthuse over the Vollrath as a gift and there's a bit of ware here for every kitchen need.

WM. F. POWELL

SUBSCRIBE FOR THE PROGRESS

LEGAL Intelligence

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE
OF
VALUABLE REAL ESTATE

By virtue of an order issued out of the Orphans Court of Clearfield county on the 29th day of November 1919 and to her directed the undersigned administrator will expose to public sale on the premises in the village of Kylerstown, Clearfield County, Penna., on Saturday the 3rd day of January 1920 at 2 o'clock P. M. the following described real estate:

All that certain lot or piece of ground situate in the village of Kylerstown, Clearfield county, Pa., the same being bounded and described as follows: Beginning at an alley, and adjoining lot of J. L. Stewart, and from thence north along lot of J. L. Stewart, Samuel Northamer and George McEath, 300 feet to post and corner of George McEath, thence east along lands of Joseph Potter 200 feet to a post, thence along lands of said Joseph Potter 300 feet to post on alley, thence west 217 feet to post and place of beginning—containing one acre and 9 perches, having thereon erected a two story plank house containing five rooms, good cellar, two story out-building 12x24 smoke house, large farm barn, large chicken pen and lot of fruit trees, grape vines and other small fruits. Excepting and reserving out of the same however all the coal, fire clay, oil and gas with all the mining privileges contained in deed of Walter Stephens, executor to Cyrus Shope deceased, dated the 9th day of April 1907 and recorded in Deed Book No 160 page 580.

Terms of Sale

10 per cent. when property is knocked down and balance on confirmation of same and delivery of deed.

LAURA R. SHOPE
Administratrix

D10-17-24c

NOTICE

Estate of James E. Lewis, deceased.

Letters Testamentary of the Estate of James E. Lewis, late of Lawrence township, Clearfield county, Pennsylvania, deceased, have been granted to Nancy Elizabeth Lewis and Carl H. Lewis, to whom all persons indebted are requested to make payment and those having claims and demands will make known the same without delay.

NANCY ELIZABETH LEWIS
and CARL H. LEWIS,
D17-24-J1-18-22-24c Executors.

CAUTION NOTICE

Whereas, my wife, Margaret McKenrick, having left my bed and board without just cause or provocation, all persons are hereby cautioned against harboring or trusting her on my account, as I will pay no bills of her contracting unless compelled to do so by the law.

LAWRENCE MCKENRICK,
Clearfield, Pa., Dec. 17, 1919. D17-24c

NOTICE OF STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING

Oscarita Sileca Fire Brick Company

The annual meeting of the stockholders for the election of directors and other business of importance will be held at the office of the First National Bank at Oscarita Mills, Pa., on Wednesday, January 14th, 1920 at eleven o'clock A. M.

C. W. BICKFORD, Secy.
D15-25-26c

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Cooper left yesterday for Florida, where they will spend the winter.



**Stop
this!**

At first signs of a cold or grip take
JANE'S COLD TABLETS
GUARANTEED



**Aid
Indigestion**

Stomach disorders yield quickly to DILL'S Digesters. Pure—agreeable—sure in effect. In watch-size bottles at your druggist's.

THE DILL CO., Norristown, Pa.

**DILL'S 40c
Digesters 25c**

"Just one helps"

Classified Ads For Everybody

REAL ESTATE

FOR SALE—Seven room brick house in Kerr Addition. One acre of ground. All modern conveniences. Double boarded barn 18x20. Will sell cheap for cash. Apply 1-118 Daisy street, Billiard parlor. 8190fc

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—A 1917 Dodge touring car. In good condition. Will demonstrate. Must be sold at once. Inquire Singer Sewing Machine Store, Third street. D23-3tp

HELP WANTED

WANTED—Girls for dining room and chamber maid work. Call Clearfield Bell phone 69 or H. & C. 473. D13-17

WANTED

WANTED—A widow with a three year old child desires a position as housekeeper, or will do housework in a small family. Good cook and capable worker. Address Mrs. Cora Lutz, care C. W. Barger, Woodland, E. D. D20-1w-ch

Will do painting and papering, and will take out of town work. Call H. & C. phone 78x2. Emory Hummel, Clearfield, Pa. D10-1mc

LOST

LOST—A purse containing a sum of money, a gold ring and some receipts. Finder return to A. B. C. Progress office. D24-3tc

Additional Personals

Miss Delia Grotty is visiting with friends and relatives in Elmira, N. Y. Paul and Charles Collins are home from Dickinson College, spending their vacations with their parents, Rev. and Mrs. John C. Collins.

Vincent Stock is home from Akron, Ohio, spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Stock on South Second street.

Millard Phillips will arrive this evening from Philadelphia, to spend Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Phillips.

Edgar Etzweiler will arrive home this evening from Akron, Ohio, to spend Christmas with his mother, Mrs. Anna Etzweiler.

Miss Janet C. Jones, of Pittsburgh, is spending the holidays with her relatives Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Byrba, of West Locust street.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Roseberry at their home on Fifth street Sunday morning last, a daughter.

Herbert Roseberry is home from Claysburg to spend Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Roseberry on Fourth street.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lumsden, of Woodland, December 21st, a daughter.

ST. FRANCIS CHURCH CHRISTMAS DAY

5:30 High mass
7:00 Low mass
9:00 Mass at which the children will sing.
Followed by Benediction.

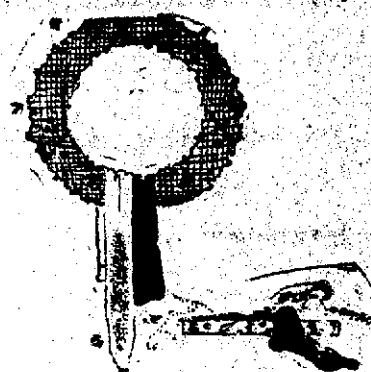
USES OF ASPIRIN TOLD BY "BAYER"

Bayer Company, who introduced Aspirin 18 years ago, give advice.

When the Bayer Company introduced Aspirin over eighteen years ago, physicians soon proved it a marvelous help in relieving Rheumatism, Colds, Headache, Neuralgia, Earache, Toothache, Lumbago, Neuritis, Aching Joints, and Pain in general.

To get this same genuine, world-famous Aspirin, you must ask for "Bayer Tablets of Aspirin," marked with the "Bayer Cross." You will find safe and proper directions in every unbroken package.

Handy tin boxes of 12 tablets cost only a few cents. Druggists also sell larger "Bayer" packages. Aspirin is the trade mark of Bayer Manufacturing of Monocleicacidester of Salicylic acid.



The Brown's Boot Shop extend to their friends their best wishes for a merry Christmas and a Happy and prosperous New Year.

BROWN'S BOOT SHOP
CLEARFIELD, PA.
Punxsutawney DuBois Indiana

A Present The Whole Family Will
Enjoy For Years To Come

A Round Oak Pipeless Furnace

Install one between now and Christmas and tell the folks—the whole family—that is your Christmas present.

It will be a saving for you; mean a comfortably heated home; a saving of fuel and will increase the value of your property.

We have furnaces on hand to install at once.

HERMAN HOFFMAN

Allen

For Her to Drive
on Christmas Morning

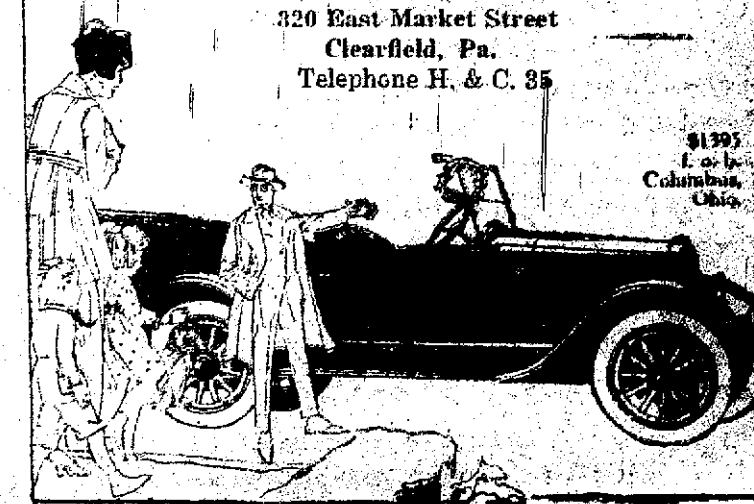
You can very properly be the hero of this picture of domestic happiness—your wife and kiddies the envy of your neighbors.

Aside from the fact that there is an almost limitless amount of happiness stored up in a good automobile to make it a sane Christmas present, there are particular reasons why your choice should be ALLEN.

Come in and let us point out these reasons and prove to you how genuinely worth while this Allen is.

Allegheny Auto Sales Co.

Dealers in Allen Motor Cars
320 East Market Street
Clearfield, Pa.
Telephone H. & C. 35



\$1395
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Columbus,
Ohio.

Factory Methods Used In Refinishing Cars.

It's quite a satisfaction to know that when we paint or refinish a your car that it is done as nearly as the factory does it with the exception of the baking.

No assembled car can be baked in the re-finish. You can readily see where the upholstering would end. But we do this—we spray the finish on, giving a smooth even surface under the most approved painting conditions. And we guarantee the work.

Then, too, we have a special service for you. Ask us about it.

Clearfield Auto Supply Co., Inc.
14-18 South Third St. Clearfield, Pa.

Christmas Dinner

AT JORDAN'S

Will Be Served From 12:15 to 2 P.M.

Turkey with all the up to the minute trimmings. The Latest of everything good to eat.

**Xmas Cheer
At Its Cheeriest**

Keystone Ice Cream Co.

**The Dimeling
Greeting**

We Wish All the Merriest of a Merry Christmas

We are Fast Approaching the End of the
Most Successful Year of the
Reign of Clearfield's Popular Hostelry

The Dimeling

A Great Deal of this Success is due to the
Confidence Placed by the
Residents of Clearfield
For Which the Management Returns Its
Sincere Thanks

We know Christmas is a Home Day. However The Dimeling has Arranged, for those who wish to partake of the Christmas Dinner with us, an Elaborate Menu for that Day and to those who will be present and to those who will be unable to be present we extend the Greetings of the Day. And as we stand on the threshold of the New Year we wish you all the Success and Hope for the Continuance of your Friendship and Good Will.

Dinner Hours 12:30 to 2 P. M.

Respectfully,

The Dimeling Management

NEWS OF OUR NEIGHBORS CURWENSVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Cochran, are spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Cochran, on Filbert street. Mr. Cochran has been employed as a truck driver for the city of New Castle since his return from overseas where he served eleven months with the 317th regiment of Engineers of the 92nd Division. They will visit friends in DuBois and Butler before returning to their home in New Castle.

Misses Glenola and Dora Patterson of Clearfield, spent Sunday with Dorothy Bael, on South Filbert street.

Miss Rachel Pratt came home Monday from Wilburforce College in Ohio, in order to spend the Xmas holidays with her parents.

William Wolf, who is holding down a lucrative position in the city of Baltimore, came home yesterday and will spend the holidays. The lieutenant has not retarded any in weight of health since sojourning in the city of fish, fruit and oysters.

Miss Frances Schorn, who is teaching school at Braddock, Pa., came home yesterday for a short holiday visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Schorn north Thompson street.

Ord L. Norris, one of Clearfield's thrifty citizens was a Curwensville visitor, Monday. He has a host of friends in this town who are always pleased to see him.

Frank Bilger has sold his new bungalow over at Eastvue to Robert Eckert, he paying the sum of \$4,600 for the same. John Hauriel also disposed of house and lot over there to George M. Hoak, receiving the sum of \$900 for his late possession.

A six year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Tozier residing at Bloomington, died on Sunday morning from measles and pneumonia. The funeral will be held today from the home. Interment in the Bloomington cemetery.

Miners who have been working in the big mines along the river, have been idle for several days on account of a shortage of railroad cars.

Joseph H. Patton, of Philadelphia, spent a few hours in Curwensville on Monday transacting business.

Frank Sarvey a miner by profession who resides over at Eastvue, was taken ill about the first of this month with something like neuritis and is now in position wherein he cannot walk, but has to be moved about the house in a wheel chair. His many friends hope for his early and full recovery.

IN MEMORIAM

In sad but loving remembrance of our dear son and brother, Raymond C. Read, who departed this life one year ago, December 25th, 1918.

Our dear one, in the prime of life, Was called from earth away.

Our hearts are sad and lonely now, For he has gone to stay;

He lingered on his dying bed in Agony and pain,

But angels came and took him home With Christ, our Lord, to reign.

MOTHER AND BROTHERS

Don Shurey is home from Pittsburgh, spending his vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Shurey.

THE VERY BEST FLOUR THAT MONEY CAN BUY



W. M. BOYCE & SON
Wholesale Distributors
Clearfield, Penna.

Ask your grocer for Hagerty's
Party Bread. N21-11-18

OUR TREAT

*Fiction Lovers To Get Best Product Of Prominent Authors
Through The Progress*

The Progress is pleased to announce for release between December 26 and August 1920 a series of eight unusual serial stories, representing the best talent of well-known fictionists. Each has been selected for its quality, wholesomeness, universal appeal and because it meets the best critical approval. They are as follows:

At Once

"CROOKED TRAILS AND STRAIGHT" by William McLeod Rame. Breathes the very spirit of western adventure. Scene upon the Arizona border; plot and incidents drawn from the "rustling" wars, feuds and clashes of cattlemen and sheep herders.

February

"THE MAN NOBODY KNEW" by Holworthy Hall. Probably the most discussed writer of the day, he has contributed an after-the-war romance. A ne'er-do-well American serving in death's own, the French Foreign Legion, is wounded and the surgeons are compelled to mold him a new face. This suggests a new identity. He returns home and announces that the former failure died a hero's death in France. He makes good, with some surprising complications, especially concerning the girl who had formerly jilted him.

March

"THE HOUSE OF WHISPERS" by William Johnston. A mystery story in which the weird and ghostly atmosphere of an ancient castle is transplanted to a modern New York apartment. Unique, thrilling and of splendid merit.

April

"LADY LAKSPUR," by Meredith Nicholson. Beautiful, but not so poisonous as her name implies. The author of "The House of a Thousand Candles" enriches literature and increases his fame by a clever comedy carrying the delightful romance and quaint charm which only he can employ.

May

"THE VALLEY OF THE GIANTS" by Peter B. Kyne. The man who gave us the immortal "Cappy Ricks" is here at his best—a romance of the big timber his beloved redwoods. Carries the balsamic odors of the forest and leaves the reader with a sense of having participated in big scenes among the big men and women of a great environment.

June

"YELLOW MEN, SLEEP," by Jeremy Lance. Mystery and adventure in the Gobi desert. Principal characters American but largely oriental in scenes and incidents. Desert phases suggest Robert Hichens. Exotic, poppy-laden and intricate as to plot, it is reminiscent of Rider Haggard.

July

"THE STRANGE CASE OF CAVENDISH" by Randall Parrish. Alternates between Fifth Avenue New York and the mining camps of Colorado. The heroine a young woman newspaper reporter, solves a crime which has baffled the best detective brains of the country. Genuinely Parrish in action and sustained interest. About fourteen pages.

August

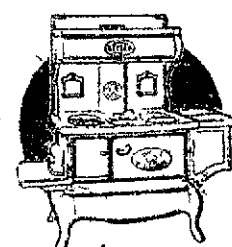
"THE DOUBLE SQUEEZE," by Henry Beach Needham. The man who first put baseball into fiction comes to bat with another wallop. A home-run slam in romance, as interesting as the final deciding game of a world's series.

Note the interest intriguing nature of the titles. Each serial will keep the reader on the qui vive and each has its own peculiar punch. They are calculated to make the reader forget that sitting on the edge of his easy chair is uncomfortable.

The great merit of this series from a standpoint of sustained pulling qualities is in the variety. No two are similar in essential features. They follow as the courses of a well-ordered banquet. Each has its delicacy flavor and satisfying attributes. The partaker arises with a feeling of satisfaction and contentment, hoping his next meal will come from the same exquisite bill of fare.

KEEP THEM MOVING

NEW YORK, Dec 22—Further deportation of Reds from all parts of the country was forecast at immigration headquarters today. Four hundred in addition to those recently deported on the Burfort will probably sail from this port within a week, it is said. About sixty of the Russian radicals who sailed on the Burfort had wives and families in America.



"A Pleasure to Cook With"

It's a real pleasure to cook with a Beechwood Range. The extra large size allows quick, hot fires, and insures an ideal baking temperature in the oven. See the ventilated cross-piece that draws air and burns away—this feature saves coal.

Beechwood

Beechwood Range Stoves are also made in enameled models. Three colors, blue, brown and black. These ranges have highly polished tops that are easily cleaned with an oil cloth. The enamel is resists a damp rag, so blacking is unnecessary. Sold by



E. W. FERGUSON,
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THE QUAKERTOWN STOVE WORKS, Quakertown, Pa.

MATHER'S BAKERIES

12 North Third Street

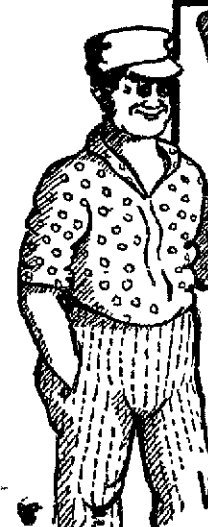
708 Daisy Street

SPECIALS FOR XMAS

Layer Cake	Pies	Square Cakes
Drop Cake		Fruit Cake
Cinnamon Rolls		Marshmallow Rolls
	Sandwich Rolls	

BREAD

Both Bakeries open every day before Xmas
Wednesday till 10 o'clock p. m.



**WORKMAN'S
BREAD**

EXCEPTIONALLY GOOD

A 15¢ LOAF FOR
13¢

WORKMAN'S CASH GROCERY CO.

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CLEARFIELD, PA.

**Have a
Good Appetite**

By Taking Vinol

It increases the appetite, aids digestion, transforms food into red blood corpuscles, muscular tissue, brain and nerve force, thus replacing weakness, nervousness and lassitude with strength and vigor.

Proof That There is Nothing Like Vinol

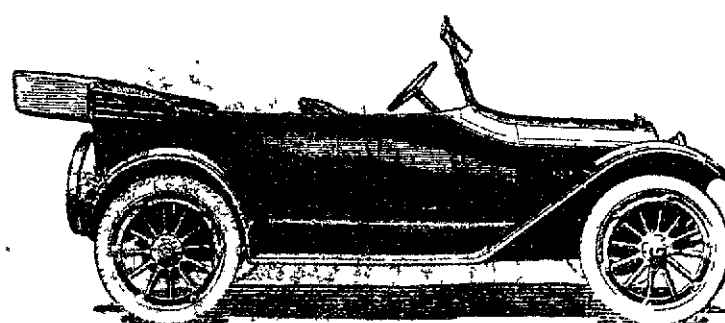
Scranton, Pa.—"I used Vinol for general weakness, poor appetite and loss of strength and flesh. At times I was simply too weak to work. Within ten days after taking Vinol I could see an improvement. It gave me a splendid appetite, I have gained in flesh and feel stronger in every way."
—Mrs. L. A. MEANS.

For all run-down, nervous, anemic conditions, weak women, overworked men, feeble old people and delicate children, there is no remedy like Vinol. Your money will be returned if Vinol fails—

Vinol OUR COD LIVER AND IRON TONIC IS THE GREATEST STRENGTH CREATOR KNOWN

Stewart Drug Company and Druggists Everywhere.

1920 THE CHEVROLET 490 TOURING



Too much weight in an automobile means low mileage to each tire and each gallon of gasoline. Too little weight means wasted power. The CHEVROLET "FOUR-NINETY" Touring Car represents the happy medium in the matter of weight.

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CLEARFIELD

(REAR OF DIMELING HOTEL)

PENNSYLVANIA

The Seasons Greetings Auto Supply Company

To Our Friends

And those who we would like to include among our friends we wish you one and all a Merry Christmas

A. MIRKIN

To Everyone Far And Near Merry Christmas

Ross & Woods

Mu-col Quickly Destroys Deadly Catarrh Germs

Proves Mu-col Makes Miserable, Despondent Catarrh Sufferers Well Again in Short Time At Trifling Cost.

For Twenty Years Was Advertised Exclusively To The Medical Profession

Here is the only sure way to get rid of Catarrh with all its obnoxious symptoms.



Go to your druggist today and ask for a small package of MU-COL. Dissolve half a teaspoonful of this powerful antiseptic powder in a teaspoonful of warm water and stir till dissolved. Then, by snuffing up from the palm of the hand or by using nasal douche, allow the MU-COL solution to come into contact with the infected membranes.

You almost instantly feel the effect as its powerful germ-destroying properties are carried into every nook and crevice of the mucous membrane where the germs thrive and multiply, loosening up the congestion and accumulated deposits, which if not attended to now, will eventually threaten the existence of the membranes themselves.

For twenty years MU-COL was advertised exclusively to the medical profession. How well it has succeeded even in the most severe case of infected Catarrhal conditions of the nose and throat, is evidenced by the unstinted praise bestowed upon this truly wonderful discovery by the medical profession.

Only after being announced a complete success is it offered to the general public, and today any first-class drug store can supply you.

POINTS ABOUT MEXICO

Mexico has an area of 767,007, or one-fourth of that of the United States.

The population is a little over 15,000,000 or less than that of the two states of New York and Pennsylvania, and of this only about 20 per cent. are white.

The ancient city of Mexico, with a population of about half a million, is the capital and chief centre of culture.

Vera Cruz, on the Gulf of Mexico, is the principal port of entry, and Monterey is the principal railway centre.

Leon, San Luis Potosi, Puebla and Guadalajara are centres of the mining industry.

Mexico is bounded on the north by the United States, on the south by Honduras and Guatemala, on the east by the Gulf of Mexico, and on the west by the Pacific ocean.

Agriculture is backward, but the climate and soil, varying according to altitude, are favorable for the produce of both temperate and tropical zones.

In the higher altitudes wheat, corn, and other cereals are raised while the lowlands produce large quantities of coffee, rice, sugar, cane, cotton, tobacco, cacao and tropical fruits.

Minerals are the chief resource for Mexico is one of the foremost silver producing countries of the world. The country also has rich deposits of copper, lead, mercury, iron, sulphur, tin and other mineral products.

Of late years the oil wells have brought fabulous wealth to Mexico, which now ranks next to the United States and Russia in the production of petroleum.

The chief manufacturing industries are smelting, cotton milling, distilling, and the manufacture of tobacco and its products.

In theory the government of Mexico is modelled closely after that of the United States, but in practice the country has been ruled to a large extent by the simpler method of ignoring the constitution.

President Venustiano Carranza, the present chief executive came into power on August 12, 1914, the sixth to hold the reins since the resignation of President Diaz in 1911. The Carranza government was recognized by President Wilson, October 19, 1915.

The prevailing religion in Mexico is Roman Catholic, but all sects are tolerated.

Mexico has between 15,000 and 20,000 miles of railway, built and financed largely by Americans.

CHRISTMAS AT ST. ANDREWS

The Christmas services at St. Andrews church will be as follows:

Children's church school entertainment and Christmas tree at 7 P. M. Wednesday.

Holy communion beginning at 12 midnight, Wednesday. There will also be a celebration of the Holy Communion at 10 A. M. Christmas day.

The object of these two services is to provide an opportunity for all the communicants of the church to make their Christmas communion as it is a day of obligation.

WEST SIDE M. E. CHOR PLEASE NOTE

There will be a rehearsal at the church tomorrow (Thursday) afternoon at three o'clock. Please arrange to be present.

START TOMORROW AND KEEP IT UP EVERY MORNING

Get into the habit of drinking a glass of hot water before breakfast.

Millions of folks bathe internally now instead of loading their system with drugs. "What's an inside bath?" you say. Well, it is guaranteed to perform miracles according to hot water enthusiasts.

There are vast numbers of men and women who, immediately upon arising in the morning, drink a glass of hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it. This is a very excellent health measure. It is intended to flush the stomach, liver, kidneys and intestines of the previous day's waste, sour bile and indigestible material left over in the body which if not eliminated every day, become food for the millions of bacteria which infect the bowels, the quick result is poisons and toxins which are then absorbed into the blood, causing headache, bilious attacks, foul breath, bad taste, colds, stomach trouble, kidney misery, sleeplessness, impure blood and all sorts of ailments.

People who feel good one day and badly the next, but who simply can not get feeling right, are urged to obtain a quarter pound of limestone phosphate at the drug store. This will cost very little but is sufficient to make anyone a real crank on the subject of internal sanitation.

BUILD YOUR PENNIES NICKELS and DIMES into BIG ROUND DOLLARS



You will be surprised to see how fast they will grow if you become a member of our

Christmas Savings Club

and make a deposit weekly. It's keeping at it that counts—save a little every week. The weeks fly and before you realize your little coins have grown into "big round dollars".

Start Saving Now To Make Next Christmas
Brighter And Merrier For All

Everybody can save if they just make up their minds to do so and stick to it! A child as well as an adult can accumulate a fund for Christmas giving.

Every One—Old and Young—Is Invited to Join

The Books are open—Enroll at once. The first Deposit makes you a Member.

CLEARFIELD NATIONAL BANK

"The Bank of Service"

Gifts For All The Family



Our complete Christmas stock includes gifts for every member of the family.

For the Ladies: Manicure Sets, Silver Mounted Pyrex Ware, Aluminum Ware.

For the Men: Traveling Sets, Shaving Sets, Razors, Smoking Sets.

For the Children: Express Wagons, Tool Sets, Sleds.

There are many others which we have not space to mention.

Come in and look over the stock.

Clearfield Hardware Co.

125 Market Street

Clearfield, Pa.



A Place of Distinction for the Cleveland Six

America has given welcome, in no mistakable terms, to the new Cleveland Six. This car, sensation of the year in the world of motordom, found a place waiting for it, a place of distinction.

Indeed, it establishes its own place. For there has been no other light car of similar quality at similar price. There is no other now. The Cleveland Six, product of men skilled in the design and building of fine cars, reflects in every detail the genius and sincerity of its makers. Underneath its beautiful body is a chassis which performs. It

doesn't merely run. It's alive with power and speed.

The Cleveland Six is offered now in two open styles of unusual comfort, splendid design and excellent finish—the five-passenger touring car and three-passenger roadster. The two handsome Cleveland closed cars, five-passenger sedan and four-passenger coupe, will soon be ready for delivery.

MODELS AND PRICES
Touring Car (Five Passenger) \$1385
Sedan (Five Passenger) \$1385
Roadster (Three Passenger) \$1385
Coupe (Four Passenger) \$1385
(All Prices F. O. B. Factory)

MARKET STREET AUTO SALES COMPANY
Market Street, Clearfield, Pa.

THE CLEVELAND AUTOMOBILE CO., CLEVELAND, OHIO

\$1385

DRIGGS THEATRE

Tonight

Your Supreme Favorite
in

"Rich Man---Poor Man"

Fine Extra Feature

Tomorrow

Constance Talmadge

in

"Experimental Marriage"

And an unusually fine program of added attractions

Peanuts
For Xmas

Use more peanuts for Xmas. There are many reasons why. They are healthier for the kiddies because they are not as rich yet they satisfy that nut appetite. They are cheaper and you can have more of them.

Buy them by the pound.

THORN BROS.

FIND
OUT

YOU SHOULD DISCOVER AT ONCE HOW VERY APPETIZING AND SATISFYING OUR BREAD IS!

There are some things that a person must find out for himself. We could talk until doom's day about the pleasing, tasty qualities of our bread, but you never would become thoroughly convinced until you had come within eating distance of it. Place it upon your table and find out for yourself all about its choice qualities.

For Sale by

Richard Cook
J. S. Beahan
Tobias Bros.
R. C. Shaw Groc. Co.
Walker's Store

The Hagerly Bakery Co.
PHILIPSBURG, PA.

Get the Genuine
and Avoid
Waste
SAPOLIO
Economy
in Every Cake

Last Minute
Things

SALTED NUTS

We have a great assortment of salted nuts for your dessert tomorrow. Almonds, pecans, filberts and the rest. They're all fresh and will make a pleasing finale to your dinner.

STEWART'S DRUG STORE
The Sea Fox Store

Gossip for
Tonight's
Tea Table

George W. Page and Mrs. Stella Strayer, both of Clearfield, were united in marriage by Rev. John C. Collins, at the Eleventh Street M. E. parsonage. They will reside in Clearfield.

Miss June Barratt arrived home from Pittsburgh, to spend Christmas with her parents. Mr. and Mrs. James Barratt.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Walker, of Delaware, Ohio, are guests of the latter's parents, Rev. and Mrs. W. W. Hartman.

Mrs. Erle Bates and daughter Helen, of Philipsburg, are spending Christmas with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ashley Thorn.

Stanley Hughes is home from Akron, Ohio, to spend Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Hughes. Mrs. Anna Knight and son Harold left today for Barnesboro, where they will spend Christmas with their daughter and sister, Mrs. E. B. Johnson.

Miss Athalia Kline is home from Randolph-Macon College for her Christmas vacation.

Miss Arvilla Sice, of Philipsburg, is the guest of Miss Helen Phillips on Fourth street.

Francis Etzweiler arrived home last evening from Camp McHenry, Baltimore, Md., to spend Christmas with his mother, Mrs. Anna Etzweiler.

William Murphy is home from Philadelphia, to spend Christmas with his wife and daughter.

Mrs. M. J. Kelley and daughter Mary, and Miss Jean Smith, of Curwensville, were shopping in town yesterday.

Joseph Phillips has returned from a business trip to Warren.

James Flick left today for Wilkinsburg, where he will join his wife and spend Christmas with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Read, of Osceola, are spending a few days at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Conklin on West Front street.

Miss Elizabeth Zerkos is home from New Jersey, to spend her Christmas vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George E. Zerkos.

Bill Kennard will arrive this evening from Pittsburgh, to spend Christmas here.

Mrs. L. L. Llewellyn, of Shamokin, is spending a few days with her father, Harry Forney and sister, Mrs. Earl Smith on Second street.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Liveright have returned from Mercersburg where they visited their son Henry, who has been ill.

Dorsey Albert, of Woodland, spent last evening with friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Alderdice, of Pittsburgh, are the guests of the latter's parents, Judge and Mrs. Singleton Bell on West Front street.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Emery Shifter yesterday, at their home on Merrill street, a baby girl.

Dr. Ralph Miller and Dr. G. J. Brett, of Pittsburgh, are spending their Christmas vacation at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Brett on Daisy street.

EAT LETS MEAT
IF BACK HURTS

Take a glass of Sals to flush kidneys if bladder bothers you—Drink lots of water.

Eating meat regularly eventually produces kidney trouble in some form or other, says a well-known authority, because the uric acid in meat excites the kidneys, they become overworked; get sluggish, clog up and cause all sorts of distress, particularly backache and misery in the kidney region; rheumatic twinges, severe headaches, acid stomach, constipation, torpid liver, sleeplessness, bladder and urinary irritation.

The moment your back hurts or kidneys aren't acting right, or if bladder bothers you, get about four ounces of Jad Salts from any good pharmacy; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine. This famous salt is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to flush clogged kidneys and stimulate them to normal activity; also to neutralize the acids in the urine so it no longer irritates, thus ending bladder disorders.

Jad Salts cannot injure anyone; makes a delightful effervescent litewater drink which millions of men and women take now and then to keep the kidneys and urinary organs clean, thus avoiding serious kidney disease.

Workman's bread saves you 2 cents on every loaf. A 15c loaf for 13c.



It's plain to see that Will McGee is honest as a man can be. He always sends or recommends that you use Golden Sun, you see.



HONEST coffee must be honestly blended, honestly roasted, honestly cut and honestly packed. Such coffee is sold by honest grocers. Peddlers don't care what they sell. Your merchants do. Patronize them. They deserve your patronage.

The Woolson Spice Co.
Tledo, Ohio

Buy Coffee at Your Grocer's Only

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Kramer and family, of Tennessee, are guests at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Kramer on Nichol street.

OF INTEREST TO WOMEN

As late as 1878 Portugal had a law forbidding widows above the age of 50 to marry.

The poorest Arab woman paints her eyes with kohl to make them appear larger and more brilliant.

A Kansas telephone company official complains that women seem unable to learn how to use the telephone properly.

The Toronto (Ont.) Presbytery has decided to allow women to occupy the pulpits and take full charge of the services on one Sunday of the year.

The first woman to obtain the degree of a Doctor of Law in France was Mlle. Samira Sileesco, a Roumanian by birth, who attained the distinction in 1890.

Angeica Kauffman, about the first famous woman painter in the world, was one of the original thirty-six members of the Royal Academy in London, founded in 1768.

Probably the first woman to regularly drive a stage coach was Mrs. S. A. Houser, who in the late '70s drove the mail-coach between Gettysburg and Chambersburg, Pa.

One of the first American women editors was Mrs. Sarah Josepha Hale, who edited the Godey's Lady's Book for fifty years and did not lay aside her pen until her ninetieth year.

Queen Victoria of Spain has a considerable knowledge of dramatic technique and once wrote a very successful little play in French for the members of the Spanish court at San Sebastian.

Martha Washington was the first woman to enjoy the franking privilege in the United States. In 1800, after her husband's death Congress gave her the free use of the mails during the remainder of her life.

AID SOCIETY MEETING

The Children's Aid Society will meet at the Home, Friday, December 26th, at 3 P. M. A full attendance is desired.

Leonardson's---Quality Store

Christmas 1919

Today we stand on the threshold of the anniversary of the birth of the Most Wonderful Life the world has ever or will ever know. We have reason to be joyful. The year has been prosperous; most of the boys are again with us, having braved battle and sudden death with a smile and come thru a glory to American manhood.

To this store and business the year has been one of unprecedented prosperity. Therefore we are thankful. And honestly, conscientiously and enthusiastically we wish you a MERRY CHRISTMAS.

A. W. LEONARDSON CO.

"Feeds Not So High If You Know Where To Buy"

Attention Feed Buyers, Farmers, Dairy-Men, Buy Feeds At Less Than Car Load Prices. Our Five Day Get Acquainted For The New-Year-Sale. Our Old Friends Know Us; They Do Not Need Prices, But We Want New Friends. Please Note Prices In Hundreds. Good From Friday December Twenty Sixth, Until New-Year-Day. Pure Wheat Bran, \$2.25, Fancy Country Middlings, \$2.50, Flour Middlings, \$2.90, Low-Grade-Flour Or Red-Dog, \$3.40. Pure Home Ground Corn Chop In Full Hundreds \$3.70, Fancy Scratch Feed \$3.80, Strictly Cash. Mail Or Telephone Your Orders To

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Orders Accepted For Pa. Ear Corn In Ten Bu. Lots Or More, Also Shelled Corn And Oats. Can Furnish Old Process Oil Meal & Cotton Seed Meal.

To One And All
A MERRY XMAS

Sheeder's Music House

From A Hardware Store
That Wishes That Your Xmas
Be Merry Comes This Wish
A MERRY CHRISTMAS

Clearfield Hardware Co.

Style Headquarters

Wishes

You A

Merry Xmas

H. J. FLEGAL

Help For
Last Minute Shoppers

You will find us here tonight with a splendid array of things for your Xmas dinner. Especially

Crisp Celery

It arrived on the morning train and we must say that it is exceptional.

Other Produce

Everything the market affords is here aplenty and if you have let your dinner buying go until the last minute, you will find us here to serve.

THORN BROS.

Merry Xmas

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THE WEATHER
Snow and colder this afternoon
and tonight. Thursday fair.

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STATE AGAINST
CINDER ROADS
ON BONDSLong Term Bond Issues To Be
Used Only On Durable And
Lasting Highway Methods

LAY DOWN DEFINITE POLICY

HARRISBURG, Dec. 24.—The State Highway Department, given authority under the act of 1919 to control the expenditure of county money insofar as it applies to the construction of roads, will not countenance the expenditure of borrowed money on any improvement other than of a durable type. Long-time bonds, the State Highway Department says, cannot be used to build short-time roads.

The Department's announcement came as a result of the visit of Commissioners of Venango County, who advised Highway Commissioner Sadler that the people of that county have in mind to use a million dollar bond issue for the construction of cinder roads. Such a procedure, the visiting commissioners were told by Commissioner Sadler, would be economically unsound.

"Our studies," said Commissioner Sadler, "clearly demonstrate that a cinder road is not serviceable under modern conditions of transportation. Upkeep of such a road would be continuous and costly. When I tell you that maintenance of surface-treated macadam highways costs this department from \$500 to \$500 per mile, you will understand what I mean to attempt to spread thin the construction program to be paid for with borrowed money. Long-time bonds should not and must not be used to build short-time roads. We cannot consent to any improvement paid for with borrowed money—money borrowed for a long period of time—that is not an improvement of durable type. Any other plan would be extravagant waste. If Venango county chooses to pursue a course of that kind, I would suggest the levying of an annual tax. The Highway Department proposes to exercise over large county bond issues the control given it in the act of June 12th, 1919. To put down cinder roads would mean annual rebuilding. The continuing cost prohibits this type of construction. And long before the maturity of the bonds issued to pay for the cinders the roads would have disappeared. Such procedure is economically unsound. The state cannot countenance such wasteful methods."

This ruling applies not only to Venango county, but to every other county in the state. The act of June 12th, 1919, gives the Highway Department control of county expenditures for road building.

BASKET BALL GAME
FOR BENEFIT OF THE
CHILDREN'S HOME

The High School Basketball team will meet the Alumni of the school at the High school gym on Christmas night.

This game will be well worth seeing and as the proceeds are for the benefit of the Children's Home a capacity house should greet the huskies when they line up for the battle.

The present High School team is worthy the best traditions of the school and as the Alumni team will be made up of the stars of other years a real battle may be confidently looked forward to.

Get your seats and be on hand early if you desire to get in.

AN APOLOGY

Jim's took to rittin' poetry,
And it's rotten riddin', too.
But then—he's dry, is he? He's dry,
Sees no more "Mountain Dew."

On a jury restere'en,
To try a man whose mind did wander;
It must have been contagious
For him—Old K. C. B. to slander.

Good folks, you'll please forgive him,
He'll ne'er do it again.
Tomorrow morn' 'twill be all over,
And he'll be once more safe and sane.

WILL PARADE
WITH HANDS
MANACLEDNew York Pacifists Protest
Against Imprisonment of
Debs And Haywood

POLICE MAY CALL IT OFF

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—Unless the police interfere, 2,000 radicals will march up Fifth avenue tomorrow morning with their hands manacled and their costumes draped in mourning as a protest against the imprisonment of persons convicted under the Federal Espionage act. The chief aim of the unique demonstration will be to rouse the sympathy of church-goers in behalf of "political" prisoners.

There'll be no bands of music, there'll be no grand marshal, and, it is hoped, there'll be no police. Bands of ribbon, however, there will be aplenty, with such legends as "Let good will unlock the doors for political prisoners;" "This is Christmas Day, will you keep 2,000 men and women in jail for believing in brotherhood?" "Let Christians unlock doors for those who would bring peace on earth," and "Mohammedan Turkey has released all her political prisoners; will Christian America keep hers in jail?"

Such, in general, is the plan as outlined by the Free Political Prisoners Committee of the People's Freedom Union, the organization which is making the arrangements for the demonstration. No police permit has been issued for the parade, but those back of the movement contend that no permit will be necessary as the marchers will walk in single file, and the procession will not be a street parade as defined by the law.

As announced, the purpose of the march is not in the interest of the anarchists and radicals who have been condemned to deportation, but is designed solely for the benefit of "political" prisoners, such as Eugene V. Debs, "Big Bill" Haywood, Kate O'Hara, and others who are serving sentences for violation of the espionage act or the draft law.

TWO NEW BUSINESS VENTURES

Daisy Thorn Johnston has purchased the Market street millinery establishment formerly conducted by the late Miss L. S. Hahn, and has already taken charge of same. The Clearfield store will be run in conjunction with the store recently established in Philipsburg. Daisy Thorn Johnston needs no introduction at our hands to the ladies of Clearfield and vicinity who are delighted to have her millinery establishment again numbered among Clearfield's up-to-date business places.

Daisy Thorn Johnston had already leased the corner room in the old Windsor hotel property but since purchasing the Hahn store the Thompson block room will be utilized as a confectionery store. It will be known as the "Virginia Chocolate Shop" and will be managed by George W. Johnston. Mr. Johnston is an experienced confectioner and expects to be able to open his store with a choice line of the finest and best confections shortly after the first of the year.

SPORTING NOTES

The Clearfield Athletic club is arranging an entertaining program for the devotees of the Art Flitiana for New Years day. The show will be given at The Driggs theatre during the afternoon and the program will appeal to all lovers of the real sport of kings.

The principal bout of the afternoon will be between Johnny Wolgast, of York, Pa., who has made a whole host of friends among Clearfield sports by his aggressive work in the two bouts he has engaged in here, and Kid Sheeler, a Philadelphia boxer of note, who is regarded as one of the best 155 pound men in the Quaker City.

In addition to the main bout a number of good preliminaries will be given and an enjoyable afternoon may be looked forward to. Popular prices will prevail.

NOTICE

The car of flour ordered for the railroad men will be in any time now. Please be ready for it.
P. R. R. J. A. BRETH.
D24-1tp

NINE BURNED
IN ASYLUM
BLAZEConnecticut Institution Which
Housed Fifty-three Burned
Late Last Evening

SECOND FIRE IN TWO YEARS

MIDDLETOWN, Conn., Dec. 24.—Nine of the fifty three patients occupying the farm cottage of the Connecticut Hospital for the Insane, were believed to have perished in a fire which destroyed the building last night. That number of occupants were missing and R. L. Logg, assistant Superintendent said they were not the type that would run away. The ruins will be searched today for their bodies. Medical Examiner Cales is conducting an investigation into the deaths and will report his findings to Coroner S. C. Davis. The loss is estimated at \$25,000 to \$30,000.

The fire was discovered about 7:30, and is supposed to have been caused from an over-heated furnace. Dr. F. L. Haviland, superintendent of the institution, stated that none of the patients who were rescued and removed to other buildings, suffered from exposure. A previous disastrous fire occurred at the hospital on the morning of January 10th, 1918, which broke out in the main building. Four patients lost their lives. The patients who are believed to have been lost in last night's fire, were known as "trusties" and were allowed more or less liberty. Most of them were in bed. The one attendant who was present, discovered the fire under the floor. He informed the main hospital a considerable distance away, but before help arrived, the fire had gained great headway. The attendant and his wife were sleeping when the fire broke out. The patients who lost their lives, were on the second floor, and it is believed they were smothered by the smoke.

Some Country

Minnehan, a railroad worker, though not he of "the great of again" fame, returned to Ireland recently on a visit. On being questioned by his relatives concerning the wonders of America, he described its size as follows: "Why, America is so big that if ye want to drag England through the Shetlands ye wouldn't have a mark in the dirt, an' ye could lose Ireland entirely in wain of thin green inland oceans we have, plawat we call lakes, an' if ye had Scotland to get rid of there are a thousand earners to hide her in, an' nobody could tell plawers ye'd put her, except, begorra, for the strong smell av whisky."—Boston Transcript.

How Frogs Protect Eggs.

In the manner of disposing of their eggs many species of frog exhibit remarkable peculiarities. One of the most curious, a tree frog, native of Paraguay, makes its nest in a bush overhanging a pond. The lower ends of a number of leaves are drawn together and fixed in that position by a number of empty egg capsules. The eggs are also covered with a shield of empty capsules to protect them from the sun and air. When the eggs are hatched the plug at the bottom appears to fall out and the tadpoles tumble into the water.

Chinese Wheelbarrows.

Probably more freight and more passengers are transported in China by the wheelbarrow than by any other land method. The wheelbarrow there used differs from that used by us, in the fact that the wheel is set in the center, and thus supports practically the entire load, while the handles are supported in part by a strap of rope over the shoulders of the man who operates it. As a result, the wheelbarrow croule in China will transport nearly a half-ton on its vehicle.

Crocodile's Agility.

The moment that a young crocodile breaks its shell it is to all intents and purposes as active as it is at any time during its life. It will make straight for the water, even if it be out of sight and a good distance off, and it will pursue its prey with eagerness and agility during the first week of its free existence.

Sarcastic.

"Tomorrow," howled the exasperated manager after he had seen the ninth packageless patron leave his shop. "I'm going to put a showcase of gold dollars out front, marked down to 90 cents and see if you get rid of few of 'em."—Public Ledger.

S. A. E. FRAT TO
BANQUET AND FORM
ALUMNI ASSOCIATION

An event of more than usual interest in college affairs will take place on Friday evening in Clearfield when the members of the Sigma Alpha Epsilon Fraternity will banquet at the Hotel Domeling. College fraternities of the higher class have come to be a part of the curriculum of the modern college and so binding are the ties of fellowship and fraternity formed in school days that college men carry their fraternity membership through life and never let an opportunity pass to boost for their fraternity and their college. These fraternities have been the means of stimulating greater interest in college life and in real service and usefulness after leaving the doors of the institutions of learning. The Sigma Alpha Epsilon is one of the more prominent of college fraternities and it is gratifying to note that at least thirteen Clearfield college men are identified with it. At least that many more are residents of DuBois and the banquet to be held here Friday evening at six o'clock will be a combination of the men of the two cities or rather of the whole county. It is the purpose of the moving spirits in the affair to form a Clearfield County Sigma Alpha Epsilon Alumni Association and this feature is a novelty as there are no alumni associations outside of the very large cities.

ATTENTION FARMERS

The regular annual meeting of the Clearfield county cooperative association will be held at the court house in Clearfield on Tuesday, January 6th beginning at 10 o'clock.

The secretary will make a report of the business during the past year. Election of officers, time storage houses and other business for the coming year, will be some of the main problems to be discussed and acted upon by the farmers of the county. This is your organization, its success depends upon you. If things have not been done during the past years as you think they should, now is the time to make the changes. Every stock holder is especially urged to be present for the election of officers. Tell your neighbors and help get out a good representation. Remember the date, January 6, 1920, 10 A. M. in the court house.

W. C. STERRETT

PICK POCKETS AFTER FAT PAYS

CONNELLSVILLE, Pa., Dec. 24.—Two alleged pick pockets under arrest here revealed to the police, the latter said, plots of scores of pick pockets from Pittsburgh, Cleveland, and Chicago who intended coming to this district when the non-union coal miners were receiving hundreds of dollars. Although few men have been arrested the supposed aim of the crooks is believed to have been thwarted.

STOCK OPENINGS

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—The stock market today opened higher. United States Steel opened at 104 1-2 up 1-8. Baldwin at 109 3-4 up 3-8. Anaconda at 58 1-4 unchanged. Mexican Petroleum at 217 up 1.

MICKIE SAYS

MEXICAN FARMER
MUST PLACATE
BANDITSBetter To Deal With Them Than
Run Chance of Having Ill
Will of Marauders

PROSPEROUS AND CONTENTED

By RALPH H. TURNER
(United Press Staff Correspondent.)

SAN LUIS POTOSI, MEXICO. (By Mail)—It doesn't pay to antagonize bandits by attempting to resist their depredations. Let them have their way, lest they be irritated. Or, if it can be done discreetly, "play the game with them."

This is the philosophy of a great many farmers in the San Luis district, located in the central Mexican state of the same name—a state which is about equal in size to the area of West Virginia. The farmers appear to have acquired this reasoning through a wealth of experience. Their dealings with the local marauders have taught them it is the wisest method to pursue.

And the practice does seem to have obtained a measure of result, even though its workings are not always above the suspicion of the Carranza government. At any rate, the "diplomatic" farmer of this section is able today to work his land; he is producing. The bandit, of course, may become over-zealous on occasions, but the farmer figures that by and large it is wisest to adopt the following tactics:

When the bandit makes his appearance, cooperate with him. Meet him half way. If he demands food or other supplies, hand them to him. Better do this than resist and have the bandit take everything—and perhaps endanger life at the same time. By this placating attitude, the man on the soil reasons, he will be allowed to continue the operation of his farm.

The story, however, is not without the other side. Federal forces are working to suppress banditry and establish order. The opportunist policy of many of the farmers, they declare, is often equivalent to connivance with the bandits and impedes the government's efforts for law and order.

But the important feature is that the struggle for peace appears to be making headway. The farmer of San Luis Potosi is going to work.

FIND SIX STILLS NEAR SHARON

SHARON, Dec. 24.—Six additional stills have been found by revenue and police officers in this district and four men charged with illegal manufacture of whiskey are being taken to Pittsburgh today for a hearing. Four stills are alleged to have been found on the farm of Max Smith and two others were located in Sharon borough.

KING OF ITALY PLANS VISIT
HERE

LONDON, Dec. 24.—An exchange telegraph dispatch from Paris quoted Rome advices as declaring that King Victor Emanuel of Italy plans to visit the United States and South America unless the political situation prevents. The dispatch did not state when the King plans to leave Italy.

FORD WAGE RATE TO STAND

DETROIT, Dec. 24.—E. S. Liebold, Henry Ford's personal secretary today denied reports that the Ford Motor Company plans to make an immediate increase in wages of its employees. His denial followed publication of a statement that a minimum wage of \$8.00 per day was planned.

SMOKERS STRIKE

LONDON.—Croydon smokers have formed a league to "strike" against tobacco trade profiteering. Members are pledged to down pipes, cigarettes and cigars, until prices are reduced and a standard of purity guaranteed.

Didn't Seem Funny to Him.

Little Augusta had never seen a bald-headed man closely until one day a friend of the family came to dinner. When we were all seated at the table Augusta looked very intently at his bald head for several minutes, then whispered in mother's ear: "Mother, hasn't Mr. Reid funny, shiny, pink hair?"—Exchange.

MORE TRUTH THAN POETRY

How happy the thought as our mind turns backward
To compare conditions now with days forever bye;
When the tangle-foot rum hound and the "bar fly" hard by him
Lurched along the street with whiskey bleared eye.

How happy the change! Can any man decry it.
The war-time prohibition which made our land "dry".
The rum-guzzling boozier no longer slinks barward
To fill his tank up with the mind-killing rye.
Nor guzzles nor swizzles, beer, wine, gin or brandies
As his poor neglected children go shivering by.

Gone is the booze—the bar room stands empty,
The headlight of the "rum hound" is crimson no more.
Daddy's now helping to get ready for Christmas
Which this year will be merrier than ever before.

BELIEVE WORK OF RUSS AGENTS TO
BE PART OF GERMAN SPY SYSTEM

WASHINGTON, Dec. 24.—Disclosure of the Senate investigation of Russian propaganda in the United States which will begin soon after the new year are expected to show the presence of German secret agents here in disguise as Russians, Senators said today. Information given members of the foreign relations committee indicated that one of these agents who during the war was active in the German spy system has free entree to the State Department, where he has been well vouched for by a reputable man. The investigating committee will go into the status of Bakhmetreus, the Russian ambassador in Washington, Senators said, as well as into the case of Ludwig C. Martens, who claims to represent the Soviet.

MEXICO RELEASES TWO AMERICAN
SAILORS ON DEMAND OF U. S.

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 24.—The two announced tonight. An investigation of the affair is continued, however, it was said. According to one report the sailors were armed when they came ashore. Another report given their liberty it was officially said they were intoxicated.

PRETTY HARD ON THE GERMANS

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—American distillers have begun to ship large consignments of whiskey to Hamburg for the German market it was learned today. Many shipments already have been made to Great Britain, France and Italy but only recently have American distillers decided to convert the Germans to "hard licker."

HOME CHILDREN ENTERTAINED
AT COMMUNITY XMAS TREE

The entertainment committee of the association secured volunteers to bring the children from the county home in their autos. They enjoyed the free entertainment at the Y. M. C. A. community Xmas tree which is beautifully illuminated with red, white and blue electric lights.

The entertainment consisted of music, singing and clog dancing by John Thomas.

INSTITUTE DATES FOR THE
FARMERS

Farmers' institute for the month of January were announced by the state department of agriculture last week.

Special effort has been made to solve local farm problems with the object of improving crop production for both quality and yield. Speakers have been assigned that will meet these requirements who have had both training and experience.

The schedule for Clearfield county is as follows:
Clearfield county, Curtis F. Read, chairman, Clearfield, Pa. Blue Ball, January 26-27; Harmony church, January 28-29.

RAILROAD RETURN NOT
BEFORE APRIL 1st

WASHINGTON, Dec. 24.—Return of the railroads to the owners has been postponed by President Wilson until April 1, at the earliest, it was generally believed here today. It seemed virtually certain the lines cannot possibly be handed back January 1, as Wilson first intended to do. Congress has passed no legislation to regulate and care for the railroads when the government relinquishes its control.

ALL KANSAS MINE
WORKERS BACK
THIS MORNING

PITTSBURGH, Kansas, Dec. 24.—All striking miners in the Kansas coal field were back at work today following the release from the jail at Indianapolis of Alexander Howat, president of the state miners union. Howat was expected to arrive here today from Indianapolis. The miners who returned to work included several hundred men who struck when Howat was jailed and 1,500 employed by the Central Coal and Coke Company who walked out last July.

FORMER RESIDENT IS DEAD

Lloyd Hughes, son of the late Harry E. Hughes, and a former well-known Clearfield boy, died at 11:30 o'clock last evening, according to a telegram received this morning by Lloyd Kracht, from his sister Rachael at Williamsport.

"Teddy," as he was familiarly known, was raised in Clearfield. He learned the painting and paper hanging business with his father, but during the latter years of his residence here, was employed as a clerk at the Wither Inn and Windsor Hotels. He was about 35 years of age and was married to a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Falls, of Surveyor, who survives him.

"REDS" ON BURFORD PEACEFUL
—THERES A REASON

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—Peace has reigned continual on the United States army transport Burford since she left port here Sunday with 2,700 Reds being reported to the land of the Bolsheviks according to United States army officers. Peace will continue, these same officers declared, because rigid army rules are being enforced.

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MERRY CHRISTMAS. SEE YOU FRIDAY EVENING

No excuse for long evenings this winter. Look at the list of serial features we are starting tomorrow. Every one of them by a Saturday Evening Post star.

How about your New Year resolutions? Since the advent of prohibition there is going to be a slump in resolutions unless some of us have other vices which need curbing.

NO LONGER NATIONAL BIRD

A few of the "idle rich" were able to purchase dressed turkey at Clearfield prices—65 to 68 cents per pound, but there were darn few of them. The "turk" has been deposed as America's national bird by common consent. He roasts too darn high.

WHO WON THE STRIKE?

"Who won the coal strike?" asks a writer in a current weekly. Mr. Palmer says the Government won it, Mr. Lewis says the miners won it and the operators say they won it.

We don't know who won it, but we know who lost it. With a loss in production of 30,000,000 tons of coal, a loss in wages to miners of \$50,000,000, a loss to the operators of \$12,000,000, large loss to manufacturers through fuel shortage, thousands of men out of work and an inestimable loss to the people in general, it seems fairly clear to us that the public lost the strike. Sometimes, indeed, we are tempted to believe that nobody really won it and that everybody lost it.

At all events, the public is more than ever out of humor with strikes and strikers, and if you doubt that, ask the first man you happen to meet, or the next hundred.—Harrisburg Telegraph.

A WHITE CHRISTMAS

The predicted snow flurry arrived on scheduled time this morning and a real old-fashioned Christmas will be our lot this year, thus dissipating the fear of the superstitious that a "green Christmas makes a fat graveyard."

DEMANDS A MANDATORY

Immediately following the Christmas recess Charles M. Rhine, the tobacco merchant, will petition the U. S. Senate for a good big husky guy to assume the duties of a mandate over the League of Nations and other political discussions by and between the gentlemen of leisure and other political philosophers to be found daily and nightly at this popular loafing place engaged in settling the affairs of municipality, state and nation by word of mouth—or many words of mouth.

Last night when a "peace at any price" Democrat produced a copy of Senator Lodge's 1914 speech and attempted to draw the deadly parallel between his remarks then and his utterances now Mr. Rhine had to threaten to call out the fire department a couple of times before he could get the factions down to earth and peacefully separated.

He says he will have to have a mandatory or shut up shop until the treaty is finally disposed of.

NOTICE TO SOLDIERS OF COOPER TOWNSHIP

The ex-soldiers of Cooper township will hold a meeting in the High School building, Friday evening, January 9 at 7:30, for the purpose of organizing a local post of the American Legion. Every ex-soldier should be present at this meeting.

John Variot, of Frenchville transacted business in Clearfield today.

To Everybody We Know
And
Everybody That Knows Us
A Merry Christmas
Clearfield Laundry

To Our Friends
Big and Little
A Merry Christmas
Kurtz Stationery Store

TO EXTEND GAME RESERVES

Plans for extension of the number of State game preserves, both State-owned and auxiliary, will be taken at the meeting of the State Game Commission on January 8. It is possible that requests for additional lands on the part of game officials from New York and other States will be brought out-right from the hunters license revenues and established as preserves. Applications for creation of two auxiliary reserves in Bucks county and one in Butler are pending. The game preserves will be inspected this winter by game officials from New York and other States.

Merry Christmas

All The Joys And Happiness
That The Greeting Carries With It
Electric Supply Co.



Grandmother kept her hair beautifully darkened, glossy and attractive with a brew of Sage Tea and Sulphur. Whenever her hair took on that dull, faded or streaked appearance, this simple mixture was applied with wonderful effect. By asking at any drug store for "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound," you will get a large bottle of this old-time recipe, improved by the addition of other ingredients, all ready for use, at very little cost. This simple mixture can be depended upon to restore natural color and beauty to the hair.

A well-known downtown druggist says everybody uses Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound now, because it darkens so naturally and evenly that nobody can tell it has been applied—it's so easy to use, too. You simply dampen a comb or soft brush and draw it through your hair, taking one strand at a time. By morning the gray hair disappears after another large bottle of this old-time recipe, improved by the addition of other ingredients, all ready for use, at very little cost. This simple mixture can be depended upon to restore natural color and beauty to the hair.

Political Announcements

We are requested to announce the name of Harry B. Scott, of Phillipsburg, Centre county, Pa., as a candidate for delegate to the Republican National Convention, subject to the decision of the Republican Primaries, to be held May 15th, 1920, P. O. address, Phillipsburg, Pa.

We are requested to announce the name of A. H. Gaffney, of Kane, McKean county, Pa., as a candidate for delegate to the Republican National Convention, subject to the decision of the Republican Primaries, to be held May 15th, 1920, P. O. address, Kane, Pa.

We are requested to announce the name of H. B. Southborough of Mansfield, Chardon county, Pa., as a candidate for Alternate Delegate to the Republican National Convention, subject to the decision of the Republican Primaries, to be held May 15th, 1920, P. O. address, Mansfield, Pa.

RENEWED TESTIMONY

No one in Clearfield who suffers backache, headaches, or distressing urinary ills can afford to ignore this Clearfield woman's twice-told story. It is confirmed testimony that no Clearfield resident can doubt.

Mrs. John E. Confer, 1111 Dorsey street, says: "I have used Doan's Kidney Pills and found them to be an excellent medicine for backache and kidney trouble. Another of my family has also used Doan's for distressing pains in the back and has derived benefit from their use. I have nothing but the highest praise for Doan's and I am always glad to recommend them to others suffering from their kidneys. I bought this medicine at Woodward & McPherson's Drug Store." (Statement given December 8th, 1912.)

LASTING BENEFIT

On February 18th, 1919, Mrs. Confer said: "I haven't had to use Doan's Kidney Pills since I last recommended them in 1912. I still think highly of this medicine."

Price 60c at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—see Doan's Kidney Pills—the name that Mrs. Confer had. Foster-McBee Co., Mfgs., Buffalo, N. Y.

SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASSING ATTENTION

Mrs. Emery's class of the West Side Sunday school will hold their business meeting at the home of Miss Ethel Brown on William street Friday evening at 8:00 o'clock.

Following the business meeting the class will entertain the members of Roy Boyce's class of the same Sunday school. All members of both classes are requested to be present.



Regardless of the weather—rain or snow—whether going to and from the office, shopping, attending an evening's entertainment, or traveling back and forth to school one may have the comfort and refinement of the home in a "Ford" car.

We offer as a suggestion for a Christmas gift, one that will be appreciated by the entire family—A FORD SEDAN—\$875.00 F. O. B. Detroit.

Williams Auto Sales Co.
208-210 North Third St.
Both Phones Clearfield, Pa.

This Would Be A
Practical, Lasting Gift For
Christmas

A Clearfield National Bank Book with a Savings Account already started.
Son or Daughter, Brother or Sister, Nephew or Niece will be thankful.
Nothing could be better.

Clearfield National Bank

"The Bank of South"

Clearfield Pennsylvania

CHRISTMAS DINNER

At The
Allegheny House
12:30 to 2
Chicken or Turkey

The Solid Foundation

Are you laying a solid foundation for the future?

If a time comes when you are not able to work, will you be in a position to take care of yourself, or will it be necessary to depend on another's charity?

Provide for the future by saving a part of all you make. You need not fear the "Rainy Day" if you have money in the bank.

The County National Bank invites your account. It pays 3 per cent. interest on savings.

The County National Bank
OF CLEARFIELD

Resources over \$6,000,000.00

Special Candy Prices

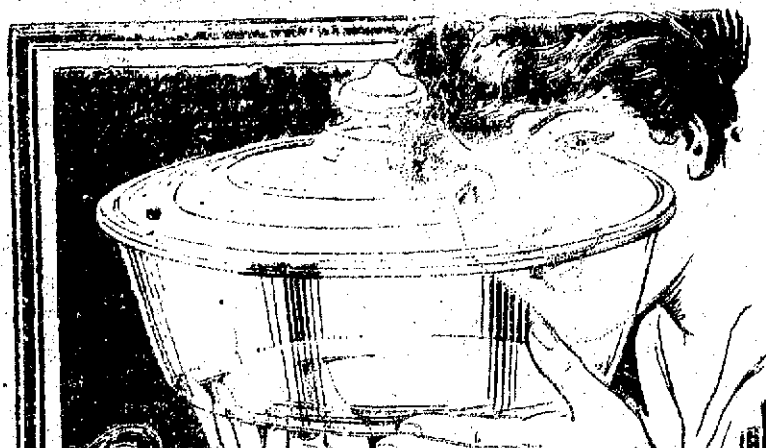
A large shipment of Fancy Box Chocolates came by express yesterday on the road since Dec. 9. In the meantime we had to buy Candies. We now have more than we need. The result is, the Dollar Fancy Chocolates will sell at 79c the box. A special lot of Fancy Florida Sweet Juicy Oranges on sale while they last at 45c doz. Try our special Chocolate Mints at 50c the pound. Jumbo Salted. Peanuts 60c lb. Try one quart of our Imported Olive Oil, You will then use only this kind.

Leitzinger Bros.

GIFTS HERE for EVERYONE

This Store Holds a Vast Variety of Gifts
That Anyone Would Like To Receive

Lots of people have gotten enthusiastic over the array of gift things we have been showing—but when you stop to consider the quality, the utility, the appropriateness of these gifts it is small wonder that they carried them away in armfuls.



Casserole, the PYREX way

Easiest because it is transparent. Avoid the guesswork and uncertainty. Look through your PYREX and see the food baking.

PYREX—the original transparent oven-ware—is sanitary and practical for everyday use and is guaranteed not to break in the oven.

Durable and economical—saves time, fuel and dishes—you bake in and serve from the same dish.

Food actually tastes better when PYREXED—the full flavor is retained because the baking is quick and thorough.

PYREX HEADQUARTERS



The Children's Aluminum Sets Arrived And Are Going Fast.

These little sets—an exact miniature of mother's—will set the little one's heart a-bounding. There's every utensil for every need of the little housewife and many hours will be spent in "keeping house." Being aluminum they're well-nigh indestructible and will last for many months.

Different Sizes 90c to \$3.00

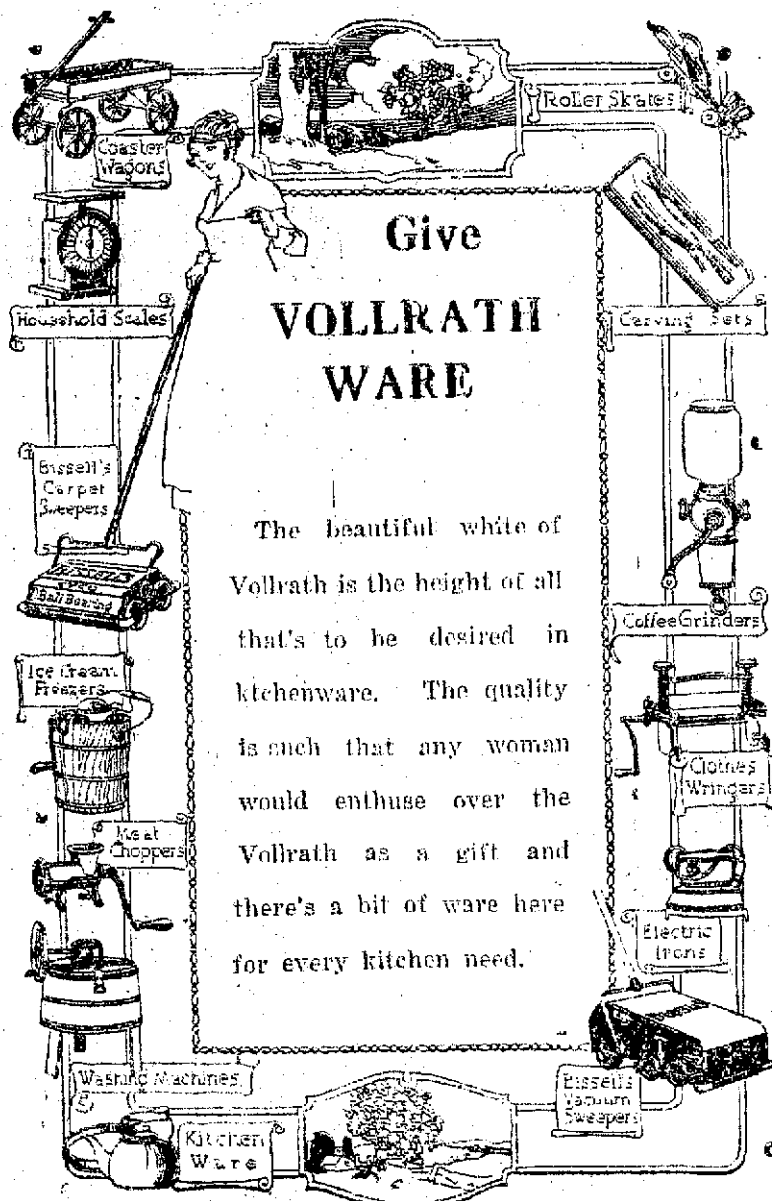
Cutlery For Christmas

When we say "cutlery" it embraces everything from the boy's "jackknife" to the finest carving set or the keen edge, high standard razor.

In the section there are heavy pocket knives, fancy pearl handled knives, carving sets with different sorts of mountings, odd carving knives, scissors, razors, straight edge and the best known safety razors—something that will make a gift from six to sixty.

Thousands of Other Gifts Here For You.

We have arranged a display that includes a host of gift things for your last minute shopping. No matter what sort of gifts you yet have to buy. The array is too varied to enumerate but rest assured that there is the needed gift—the one that has been a puzzle to solve.



**Give
VOLLRATH
WARE**

The beautiful white of Vollrath is the height of all that's to be desired in kitchenware. The quality is such that any woman would enthuse over the Vollrath as a gift and there's a bit of ware here for every kitchen need.

WM. F. POWELL

SUBSCRIBE FOR THE PROGRESS

LEGAL Intelligence

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE
OF
VALUABLE REAL ESTATE

By virtue of an order issued out of the Orphans Court of Clearfield county on the 29th day of November 1919 and to her directed the undersigned administrator will expose to public sale on the premises in the village of Kylertown, Clearfield County, Penna., on Saturday the 3rd day of January 1920 at 2 o'clock P. M. the following described real estate:

All that certain lot or piece of ground situate in the village of Kylertown, Clearfield county, Pa., the same being bounded and described as follows: Beginning at an alley, and adjoining lot of J. L. Stewart, and from thence north along lot of J. L. Stewart, Samuel Northamer and George McEath, 300 feet to post and corner of George McEath, thence east along lands of Joseph Potter 200 feet to a post, thence along lands of said Joseph Potter 300 feet to post on alley, thence west 217 feet to post and place of beginning—containing one acre and 9 perches, having thereon erected a two story plank house containing five rooms, good cellar, two story out-building 12x24 smoke house, large farm barn, large chicken pen and lot of fruit trees, grape vines and other small fruits. Excepting and reserving out of the same however all the coal, fire clay, oil and gas with all the mining privileges contained in deed of Walter Stephens, executor to Cyrus Shope deceased, dated the 9th day of April 1907 and recorded in Deed Book No 160 page 580.

Terms of Sale

10 per cent. when property is knocked down and balance on confirmation of same and delivery of deed.

LAURA R. SHOPE
Administratrix

D10-17-24c

NOTICE

Estate of James E. Lewis, deceased.

Letters Testamentary of the Estate of James E. Lewis, late of Lawrence township, Clearfield county, Pennsylvania, deceased, have been granted to Nancy Elizabeth Lewis and Carl H. Lewis, to whom all persons indebted are requested to make payment and those having claims and demands will make known the same without delay.

NANCY ELIZABETH LEWIS
and CARL H. LEWIS,
D17-24-J1-18-22-25 Executors.

CAUTION NOTICE

Whereas, my wife, Margaret McKenrick, having left my bed and board without just cause or provocation, all persons are hereby cautioned against harboring or trusting her on my account, as I will pay no bills of her contracting unless compelled to do so by the law.

LAWRENCE MCKENRICK,
Clearfield, Pa., Dec. 17, 1919. D17-24p

NOTICE OF STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING

Oscoda Silica Fire Brick Company

The annual meeting of the stockholders for the election of directors and other business of importance will be held at the office of the First National Bank at Oscoda Mills, Pa., on Wednesday, January 14th, 1920 at eleven o'clock A. M.

C. W. BICKFORD, Secy.
D15-25t-eh

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Cooper left yesterday for Florida, where they will spend the winter.



**Stop
this!**

At first signs of a cold or grip take
JANE'S COLD TABLETS
GUARANTEED



**Aid
Indigestion**

Stomach disorders yield quickly to DILL'S Digesters. Pure—agreeable—sure in effect. In watch-size bottles at your druggist's.

THE DILL CO., Norristown, Pa.

**DILL'S 40c
Digesters 25c**
"Just one helps"

Classified Ads For Everybody

REAL ESTATE

FOR SALE—Seven room brick house in Kerr Addition. One acre of ground. All modern conveniences. Double boarded barn 18x20. Will sell cheap for cash. Apply 1:18 Daisy street, Billiard parlor. 819tfc

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—A 1917 Dodge touring car. In good condition. Will demonstrate. Must be sold at once. Inquire Singer Sewing Machine Store, Third street. D23-3tp

HELP WANTED

WANTED—Girls for dining room and chamber maid work. Call Clearfield Bell phone 69 or H. & C. 473. D13-17

WANTED

WANTED—A widow with a three year old child desires a position as housekeeper, or will do housework in a small family. Good cook and capable worker. Address Mrs. Cora Lutz, care C. W. Barger, Woodland, E. D. D20-1w-eh

Will do painting and papering, and will take out of town work. Call H. & C. phone 78x2. Emory Hummel, Clearfield, Pa. D10-1mc

LOST

LOST—A purse containing a sum of money, a gold ring and some receipts. Finder return to A. B. C. Progress office. D24-3tc

Additional Personals

Miss Delia Grotty is visiting with friends and relatives in Elmira, N. Y. Paul and Charles Collins are home from Dickinson College, spending their vacations with their parents, Rev. and Mrs. John C. Collins.

Vincent Stock is home from Akron, Ohio, spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Stock on South Second street.

Millard Phillips will arrive this evening from Philadelphia, to spend Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Phillips.

Edgar Etzweiler will arrive home this evening from Akron, Ohio, to spend Christmas with his mother, Mrs. Anna Etzweiler.

Miss Janet C. Jones, of Pittsburgh, is spending the holidays with her relatives Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Byrba, of West Locust street.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Roseberry at their home on Fifth street Sunday morning last, a daughter.

Herbert Roseberry is home from Claysburg to spend Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Roseberry on Fourth street.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lumsden, of Woodland, December 21st, a daughter.

ST. FRANCIS CHURCH CHRISTMAS DAY

5:30 High mass
7:00 Low mass
9:00 Mass at which the children will sing.
Followed by Benediction.

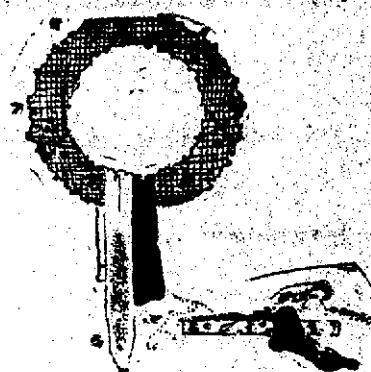
USES OF ASPIRIN TOLD BY "BAYER"

Bayer Company, who introduced Aspirin 18 years ago, give advice.

When the Bayer Company introduced Aspirin over eighteen years ago, physicians soon proved it a marvelous help in relieving Rheumatism, Colds, Headache, Neuralgia, Earache, Toothache, Lumbago, Neuritis, Aching Joints, and Pain in general.

To get this same genuine, world-famous Aspirin, you must ask for "Bayer Tablets of Aspirin," marked with the "Bayer Cross." You will find safe and proper directions in every unbroken package.

Handy tin boxes of 12 tablets cost only a few cents. Druggists also sell larger "Bayer" packages. Aspirin is the trade mark of Bayer Manufacturing of Monocletoicacidester of Salicylicacid.



The Brown's Boot Shop extend to their friends their best wishes for a merry Christmas and a Happy and prosperous New Year.

BROWN'S BOOT SHOP
CLEARFIELD, PA.
Punxsutawney DuBois Indiana

A Present The Whole Family Will
Enjoy For Years To Come

A Round Oak Pipeless Furnace

Install one between now and Christmas and tell the folks—the whole family—that is your Christmas present.

It will be a saving for you; mean a comfortably heated home; a saving of fuel and will increase the value of your property.

We have furnaces on hand to install at once.

HERMAN HOFFMAN

Allen

For Her to Drive
on Christmas Morning

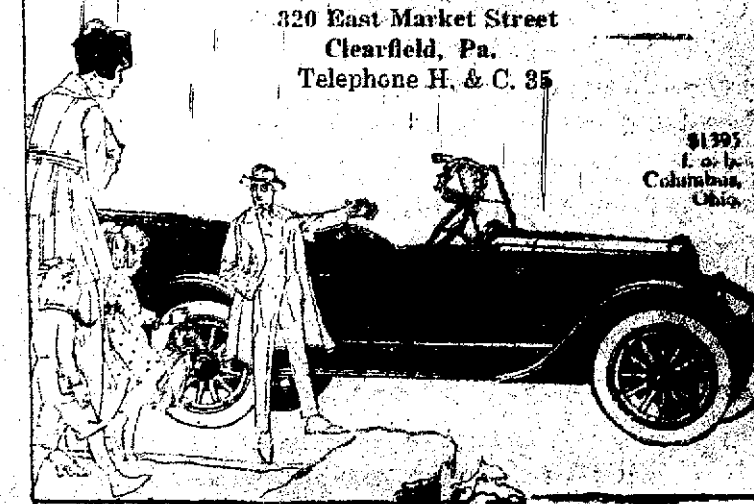
You can very properly be the hero of this picture of domestic happiness—your wife and kiddies the envy of your neighbors.

Aside from the fact that there is an almost limitless amount of happiness stored up in a good automobile to make it a sane Christmas present, there are particular reasons why your choice should be ALLEN.

Come in and let us point out these reasons and prove to you how genuinely worth while this Allen is.

Allegheny Auto Sales Co.

Dealers in Allen Motor Cars
320 East Market Street
Clearfield, Pa.
Telephone H. & C. 35



\$1795
f.o.b.
Columbus,
Ohio

Factory Methods Used In Refinishing Cars.

It's quite a satisfaction to know that when we paint or refinish a your car that it is done as nearly as the factory does it with the exception of the baking.

No assembled car can be baked in the re-finish. You can readily see where the upholstering would end. But we do this—we spray the finish on, giving a smooth even surface under the most approved painting conditions. And we guarantee the work.

Then, too, we have a special service for you. Ask us about it.

Clearfield Auto Supply Co., Inc.
14-18 South Third St. Clearfield, Pa.

Christmas Dinner

AT JORDAN'S

Will Be Served From 12:15 to 2 P.M.

Turkey with all the up to the minute trimmings. The Latest of everything good to eat.

**Xmas Cheer
At Its Cheeriest**

Keystone Ice Cream Co.

**The Dimeling
Greeting**

We Wish All the Merriest of a Merry Christmas

We are Fast Approaching the End of the
Most Successful Year of the
Reign of Clearfield's Popular Hostelry

The Dimeling

A Great Deal of this Success is due to the
Confidence Placed by the
Residents of Clearfield
For Which the Management Returns Its
Sincere Thanks

We know Christmas is a Home Day. However The Dimeling has Arranged, for those who wish to partake of the Christmas Dinner with us, an Elaborate Menu for that Day and to those who will be present and to those who will be unable to be present we extend the Greetings of the Day. And as we stand on the threshold of the New Year we wish you all the Success and Hope for the Continuance of your Friendship and Good Will.

Dinner Hours 12:30 to 2 P. M.

Respectfully,

The Dimeling Management

NEWS OF OUR NEIGHBORS CURWENSVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Cochran, are spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Cochran, on Filbert street. Mr. Cochran has been employed as a truck driver for the city of New Castle since his return from overseas where he served eleven months with the 317th regiment of Engineers of the 92nd Division. They will visit friends in DuBois and Butler before returning to their home in New Castle.

Misses Glenola and Dora Patterson of Clearfield, spent Sunday with Dorothy Bael, on South Filbert street.

Miss Rachel Pratt came home Monday from Wilburforce College in Ohio, in order to spend the Xmas holidays with her parents.

William Wolf, who is holding down a lucrative position in the city of Baltimore, came home yesterday and will spend the holidays. The lieutenant has not retarded any in weight of health since sojourning in the city of fish, fruit and oysters.

Miss Frances Schorn, who is teaching school at Braddock, Pa., came home yesterday for a short holiday visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Schorn north Thompson street.

Ord L. Norris, one of Clearfield's thrifty citizens was a Curwensville visitor, Monday. He has a host of friends in this town who are always pleased to see him.

Frank Bilger has sold his new bungalow over at Eastvue to Robert Eckert, he paying the sum of \$4,600 for the same. John Hauriel also disposed of house and lot over there to George M. Hoak, receiving the sum of \$900 for his late possession.

A six year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Tozier residing at Bloomington, died on Sunday morning from measles and pneumonia. The funeral will be held today from the home. Interment in the Bloomington cemetery.

Miners who have been working in the big mines along the river, have been idle for several days on account of a shortage of railroad cars.

Joseph H. Patton, of Philadelphia, spent a few hours in Curwensville on Monday transacting business.

Frank Sarvey a miner by profession who resides over at Eastvue, was taken ill about the first of this month with something like neuritis and is now in position wherein he cannot walk, but has to be moved about the house in a wheel chair. His many friends hope for his early and full recovery.

IN MEMORIAM

In sad but loving remembrance of our dear son and brother, Raymond C. Read, who departed this life one year ago, December 25th, 1918.

Our dear one, in the prime of life, Was called from earth away.

Our hearts are sad and lonely now, For he has gone to stay;

He lingered on his dying bed in Agony and pain,

But angels came and took him home With Christ, our Lord, to reign.

MOTHER AND BROTHERS

Don Shurey is home from Pittsburgh, spending his vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Shurey.

THE VERY BEST FLOUR THAT MONEY CAN BUY



W. M. BOYCE & SON
Wholesale Distributors
Clearfield, Penna.

Ask your grocer for Hagerty's
Party Bread. N21-11-18

OUR TREAT

*Fiction Lovers To Get Best Product Of Prominent Authors
Through The Progress*

The Progress is pleased to announce for release between December 26 and August 1920 a series of eight unusual serial stories, representing the best talent of well-known fictionists. Each has been selected for its quality, wholesomeness, universal appeal and because it meets the best critical approval. They are as follows:

At Once

"CROOKED TRAILS AND STRAIGHT" by William McLeod Rame. Breathes the very spirit of western adventure. Scene upon the Arizona border; plot and incidents drawn from the "rustling" wars, feuds and clashes of cattlemen and sheep herders.

February

"THE MAN NOBODY KNEW" by Holworthy Hall. Probably the most discussed writer of the day, he has contributed an after-the-war romance. A ne'er-do-well American serving in death's own, the French Foreign Legion, is wounded and the surgeons are compelled to mold him a new face. This suggests a new identity. He returns home and announces that the former failure died a hero's death in France. He makes good, with some surprising complications, especially concerning the girl who had formerly jilted him.

March

"THE HOUSE OF WHISPERS" by William Johnston. A mystery story in which the weird and ghostly atmosphere of an ancient castle is transplanted to a modern New York apartment. Unique, thrilling and of splendid merit.

April

"LADY LAKSPUR," by Meredith Nicholson. Beautiful, but not so poisonous as her name implies. The author of "The House of a Thousand Candles" enriches literature and increases his fame by a clever comedy carrying the delightful romance and quaint charm which only he can employ.

May

"THE VALLEY OF THE GIANTS" by Peter B. Kyne. The man who gave us the immortal "Cappy Ricks" is here at his best—a romance of the big timber his beloved redwoods. Carries the balsamic odors of the forest and leaves the reader with a sense of having participated in big scenes among the big men and women of a great environment.

June

"YELLOW MEN, SLEEP," by Jeremy Lance. Mystery and adventure in the Gobi desert. Principal characters American but largely oriental in scenes and incidents. Desert phases suggest Robert Hichens. Exotic, poppy-laden and intricate as to plot, it is reminiscent of Rider Haggard.

July

"THE STRANGE CASE OF CAVENDISH" by Randall Parrish. Alternates between Fifth avenue New York and the mining camps of Colorado. The heroine a young woman newspaper reporter, solves a crime which has baffled the best detective brains of the country. Genuinely Parrish in action and sustained interest. About fourteen pages.

August

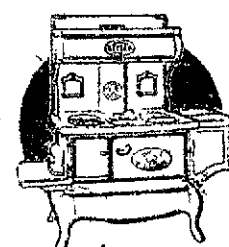
"THE DOUBLE SQUEEZE," by Henry Beach Needham. The man who first put baseball into fiction comes to bat with another wallop. A home-run slam in romance, as interesting as the final deciding game of a world's series.

Note the interest intriguing nature of the titles. Each serial will keep the reader on the qui vive and each has its own peculiar punch. They are calculated to make the reader forget that sitting on the edge of his easy chair is uncomfortable.

The great merit of this series from a standpoint of sustained pulling qualities is in the variety. No two are similar in essential features. They follow as the courses of a well-ordered banquet. Each has its delicacy flavor and satisfying attributes. The partaker arises with a feeling of satisfaction and contentment, hoping his next meal will come from the same exquisite bill of fare.

KEEP THEM MOVING

NEW YORK, Dec 22—Further deportation of Reds from all parts of the country was forecast at immigration headquarters today. Four hundred in addition to those recently deported on the Burfort will probably sail from this port within a week, it is said. About sixty of the Russian radicals who sailed on the Burfort had wives and families in America.



"A Pleasure to Cook With"

It's a real pleasure to cook with a Beechwood Range. The extra large size allows quick, hot fires, and insures an ideal baking temperature in the oven. See the ventilated cross-piece that draws air and burns away—this feature saves coal.

Beechwood

Beechwood Ranges are also made in enameled models. Three colors, blue, brown and black. These ranges have highly polished tops that are easily cleaned with an oil cloth. The enamel is resister to a damp rag, so blacking is unnecessary. Sold by



E. W. FERGUSON,
Kerrmoor, Penna.

THE QUAKERTOWN STOVE WORKS, Quakertown, Pa.

MATHER'S BAKERIES

12 North Third Street

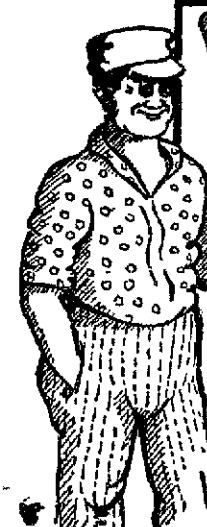
708 Daisy Street

SPECIALS FOR XMAS

Layer Cake	Pies	Square Cakes
Drop Cake	Fruit Cake	
Cinnamon Rolls	Marshmallow Rolls	
	Sandwich Rolls	

BREAD

Both Bakeries open every day before Xmas
Wednesday till 10 o'clock p. m.



**WORKMAN'S
BREAD**

EXCEPTIONALLY GOOD

A 15¢ LOAF FOR
13¢

WORKMAN'S CASH GROCERY CO.

7-9-11 Third St. 816 Daisy St. Rollin Bldg, Nichol St.
CLEARFIELD, PA.

**Have a
Good Appetite**

By Taking Vinol

It increases the appetite, aids digestion, transforms food into red blood corpuscles, muscular tissue, brain and nerve force, thus replacing weakness, nervousness and lassitude with strength and vigor.

Proof That There is Nothing Like Vinol

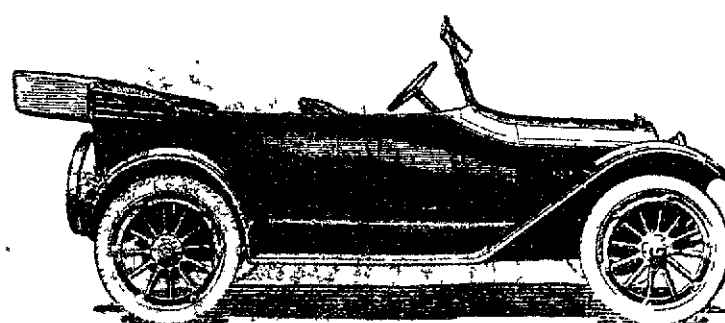
Scranton, Pa.—"I used Vinol for general weakness, poor appetite and loss of strength and flesh. At times I was simply too weak to work. Within ten days after taking Vinol I could see an improvement. It gave me a splendid appetite, I have gained in flesh and feel stronger in every way."
—Mrs. L. A. MEANS.

For all run-down, nervous, anemic conditions, weak women, overworked men, feeble old people and delicate children, there is no remedy like Vinol. Your money will be returned if Vinol fails—

Vinol OUR COD LIVER AND IRON TONIC IS THE GREATEST STRENGTH CREATOR KNOWN

Stewart Drug Company and Druggists Everywhere.

1920 THE CHEVROLET 490 TOURING



Too much weight in an automobile means low mileage to each tire and each gallon of gasoline. Too little weight means wasted power. The CHEVROLET "FOUR-NINETY" Touring Car represents the happy medium in the matter of weight.

\$810 Delivered Clearfield

The Clearfield Central Garage Co. Inc.

CLEARFIELD

(REAR OF DIMELING HOTEL)

PENNSYLVANIA

The Seasons Greetings Auto Supply Company

To Our Friends

And those who we would like to include among our friends we wish you one and all a Merry Christmas

A. MIRKIN

To Everyone Far And Near Merry Christmas

Ross & Woods

Mu-col Quickly Destroys Deadly Catarrh Germs

Proves Mu-col Makes Miserable, Despondent Catarrh Sufferers Well Again in Short Time At Trifling Cost.

For Twenty Years Was Advertised Exclusively To The Medical Profession

Here is the only sure way to get rid of Catarrh with all its obnoxious symptoms.



Go to your druggist today and ask for a small package of MU-COL. Dissolve half a teaspoonful of this powerful antiseptic powder in a teaspoonful of warm water and stir till dissolved. Then, by snuffing up from the palm of the hand or by using nasal douche, allow the MU-COL solution to come into contact with the infected membranes.

You almost instantly feel the effect as its powerful germ-destroying properties are carried into every nook and crevice of the mucous membrane where the germs thrive and multiply, loosening up the congestion and accumulated deposits, which if not attended to now, will eventually threaten the existence of the membranes themselves.

For twenty years MU-COL was advertised exclusively to the medical profession. How well it has succeeded even in the most severe case of infected Catarrhal conditions of the nose and throat, is evidenced by the unstinted praise bestowed upon this truly wonderful discovery by the medical profession.

Only after being announced a complete success is it offered to the general public, and today any first-class drug store can supply you.

POINTS ABOUT MEXICO

Mexico has an area of 767,007, or one-fourth of that of the United States.

The population is a little over 15,000,000 or less than that of the two states of New York and Pennsylvania, and of this only about 20 per cent. are white.

The ancient city of Mexico, with a population of about half a million, is the capital and chief centre of culture.

Vera Cruz, on the Gulf of Mexico, is the principal port of entry, and Monterey is the principal railway centre.

Leon, San Luis Potosi, Puebla and Guadalajara are centres of the mining industry.

Mexico is bounded on the north by the United States, on the south by Honduras and Guatemala, on the east by the Gulf of Mexico, and on the west by the Pacific ocean.

Agriculture is backward, but the climate and soil, varying according to altitude, are favorable for the produce of both temperate and tropical zones.

In the higher altitudes wheat, corn, and other cereals are raised while the lowlands produce large quantities of coffee, rice, sugar, cane, cotton, tobacco, cacao and tropical fruits.

Minerals are the chief resource for Mexico is one of the foremost silver producing countries of the world. The country also has rich deposits of copper, lead, mercury, iron, sulphur, tin and other mineral products.

Of late years the oil wells have brought fabulous wealth to Mexico, which now ranks next to the United States and Russia in the production of petroleum.

The chief manufacturing industries are smelting, cotton milling, distilling, and the manufacture of tobacco and its products.

In theory the government of Mexico is modelled closely after that of the United States, but in practice the country has been ruled to a large extent by the simpler method of ignoring the constitution.

President Venustiano Carranza, the present chief executive came into power on August 12, 1914, the sixth to hold the reins since the resignation of President Diaz in 1911. The Carranza government was recognized by President Wilson, October 19, 1915.

The prevailing religion in Mexico is Roman Catholic, but all sects are tolerated.

Mexico has between 15,000 and 20,000 miles of railway, built and financed largely by Americans.

CHRISTMAS AT ST. ANDREWS

The Christmas services at St. Andrews church will be as follows:

Children's church school entertainment and Christmas tree at 7 P. M. Wednesday.

Holy communion beginning at 12 midnight, Wednesday. There will also be a celebration of the Holy Communion at 10 A. M. Christmas day.

The object of these two services is to provide an opportunity for all the communicants of the church to make their Christmas communion as it is a day of obligation.

WEST SIDE M. E. CHOR PLEASE NOTE

There will be a rehearsal at the church tomorrow (Thursday) afternoon at three o'clock. Please arrange to be present.

START TOMORROW AND KEEP IT UP EVERY MORNING

Get into the habit of drinking a glass of hot water before breakfast.

Millions of folks bathe internally now instead of loading their system with drugs. "What's an inside bath?" you say. Well, it is guaranteed to perform miracles according to hot water enthusiasts.

There are vast numbers of men and women who, immediately upon arising in the morning, drink a glass of hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it. This is a very excellent health measure. It is intended to flush the stomach, liver, kidneys and intestines of the previous day's waste, sour bile and indigestible material left over in the body which if not eliminated every day, become food for the millions of bacteria which infect the bowels, the quick result is poisons and toxins which are then absorbed into the blood, causing headache, bilious attacks, foul breath, bad taste, colds, stomach trouble, kidney misery, sleeplessness, impure blood and all sorts of ailments.

People who feel good one day and badly the next, but who simply can not get feeling right, are urged to obtain a quarter pound of limestone phosphate at the drug store. This will cost very little but is sufficient to make anyone a real crank on the subject of internal sanitation.

BUILD YOUR PENNIES NICKELS and DIMES into BIG ROUND DOLLARS



You will be surprised to see how fast they will grow if you become a member of our

Christmas Savings Club

and make a deposit weekly. It's keeping at it that counts—save a little every week. The weeks fly and before you realize your little coins have grown into "big round dollars".

Start Saving Now To Make Next Christmas Brighter And Merrier For All

Everybody can save if they just make up their minds to do so and stick to it! A child as well as an adult can accumulate a fund for Christmas giving.

Every One—Old and Young—Is Invited to Join

The Books are open—Enroll at once. The first Deposit makes you a Member.

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Our complete Christmas stock includes gifts for every member of the family.

For the Ladies: Manicure Sets, Silver Mounted Pyrex Ware, Aluminum Ware.

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For the Children: Express Wagons, Tool Sets, Sleds.

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Come in and look over the stock.

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125 Market Street

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A Place of Distinction for the Cleveland Six

America has given welcome, in no mistakable terms, to the new Cleveland Six. This car, sensation of the year in the world of motordom, found a place waiting for it, a place of distinction.

Indeed, it establishes its own place. For there has been no other light car of similar quality at similar price. There is no other now. The Cleveland Six, product of men skilled in the design and building of fine cars, reflects in every detail the genius and sincerity of its makers. Underneath its beautiful body is a chassis which performs. It

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The Cleveland Six is offered now in two open styles of unusual comfort, splendid design and excellent finish—the five-passenger touring car and three-passenger roadster. The two handsome Cleveland closed cars, five-passenger sedan and four-passenger coupe, will soon be ready for delivery.

MODELS AND PRICES
Touring Car (Five Passenger) \$1385
Sedan (Five Passenger) \$1385
Roadster (Three Passenger) \$1385
Coupe (Four Passenger) \$1385
(All Prices F. O. B. Factory)

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Tonight

Your Supreme Favorite
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"Rich Man---Poor Man"

Fine Extra Feature

Tomorrow

Constance Talmadge

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"Experimental Marriage"

And an unusually fine program of added attractions

Peanuts
For Xmas

Use more peanuts for Xmas. There are many reasons why. They are healthier for the kiddies because they are not as rich yet they satisfy that nut appetite. They are cheaper and you can have more of them.

Buy them by the pound.

THORN BROS.

FIND
OUT

YOU SHOULD
DISCOVER AT
ONCE HOW VERY
APPETIZING
AND SATISFYING
OUR BREAD IS!

There are some things that a person must find out for himself. We could talk until doom's day about the pleasing, tasty qualities of our bread, but you never would become thoroughly convinced until you had come within eating distance of it. Place it upon your table and find out for yourself all about its choice qualities.

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SALTED NUTS

We have a great assortment of salted nuts for your dessert tomorrow. Almonds, pecans, filberts and the rest. They're all fresh and will make a pleasing finale to your dinner.

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I Wish You
Each and Every
One A Merry
Christmas

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Starting
Battery Problem
Up to Us

We have the solution.
Ask us about our free
testing service—it's
insurance against
many battery
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Auto Supply Co.

Stiff? Sore?

A lame back, a sore muscle or a stiff joint often is considered too lightly by the sufferer. It should be remembered that backache, rheumatic pains, stiffness, soreness, yellow skin and puffiness under the eyes are symptoms of kidney and bladder trouble—and these certainly should not be neglected.

Foley Kidney Pills

help the kidneys eliminate from the system the poisonous waste and acids that cause these aches and pains. They act promptly and effectively to restore weak, overworked or diseased kidneys and bladder to healthy, normal condition.

J. E. Simmons, 400 E. 50th St., Portland, Ore., writes: "I was troubled with backache and urinary trouble. I tried Foley Kidney Pills and will say that I highly recommend them to any one troubled in that way, as they are excellent."

Romance
Chocolates
"Truthfully Pure"

Miss Lorraine Ferguson is spending her Christmas vacation with her aunt, Mrs. Ruth Ferguson, South Third street.

SOUND HEALTH

so many thousands is practically a matter of the right use of reliable means of maintaining vitality.

SCOTT'S
EMULSION

time-honored and reliable, combines palatability, inherent virtues and unrivaled efficacy. At the first sign of weakness take Scott's Emulsion.

It is known everywhere by the "Mark of Efficacy"—the Fisherman.

Gossip for
Tonight's
Tea Table

George W. Page and Mrs. Stella Strayer, both of Clearfield, were united in marriage by Rev. John C. Collins, at the Eleventh Street M. E. parsonage. They will reside in Clearfield.

Miss June Barratt arrived home from Pittsburgh, to spend Christmas with her parents. Mr. and Mrs. James Barratt.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Walker, of Delaware, Ohio, are guests of the latter's parents, Rev. and Mrs. W. W. Hartman.

Mrs. Erle Bates and daughter Helen, of Philipsburg, are spending Christmas with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ashley Thorn.

Stanley Hughes is home from Akron, Ohio, to spend Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Hughes. Mrs. Anna Knight and son Harold left today for Barnesboro, where they will spend Christmas with their daughter and sister, Mrs. E. B. Johnson.

Miss Athalia Kline is home from Randolph-Macon College for her Christmas vacation.

Miss Arvilla Sice, of Philipsburg, is the guest of Miss Helen Phillips on Fourth street.

Francis Etzweiler arrived home last evening from Camp McHenry, Baltimore, Md., to spend Christmas with his mother, Mrs. Anna Etzweiler.

William Murphy is home from Philadelphia, to spend Christmas with his wife and daughter.

Mrs. M. J. Kelley and daughter Mary, and Miss Jean Smith, of Curwensville, were shopping in town yesterday.

Joseph Phillips has returned from a business trip to Warren.

James Flick left today for Wilkinsburg, where he will join his wife and spend Christmas with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Read, of Osceola, are spending a few days at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Conklin on West Front street.

Miss Elizabeth Zerkos is home from New Jersey, to spend her Christmas vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George E. Zerkos.

Bill Kennard will arrive this evening from Pittsburgh, to spend Christmas here.

Mrs. L. L. Llewellyn, of Shamokin, is spending a few days with her father, Harry Forcey and sister, Mrs. Earl Smith on Second street.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Liveright have returned from Mercersburg where they visited their son Henry, who has been ill.

Dorsey Albert, of Woodland, spent last evening with friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Alderdice, of Pittsburgh, are the guests of the latter's parents, Judge and Mrs. Singleton Bell on West Front street.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Emery Shifter yesterday, at their home on Merrill street, a baby girl.

Dr. Ralph Miller and Dr. G. J. Brett, of Pittsburgh, are spending their Christmas vacation at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Brett on Daisy street.

EAT LETS MEAT
IF BACK HURTS

Take a glass of Sals to flush kidneys if bladder bothers you—Drink lots of water.

Eating meat regularly eventually produces kidney trouble in some form or other, says a well-known authority, because the uric acid in meat excites the kidneys, they become overworked; get sluggish, clog up and cause all sorts of distress, particularly backache and misery in the kidney region; rheumatic twinges, severe headaches, acid stomach, constipation, torpid liver, sleeplessness, bladder and urinary irritation.

The moment your back hurts or kidneys aren't acting right, or if bladder bothers you, get about four ounces of Jad Salts from any good pharmacy; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine. This famous salt is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to flush clogged kidneys and stimulate them to normal activity; also to neutralize the acids in the urine so it no longer irritates, thus ending bladder disorders.

Jad Salts cannot injure anyone; makes a delightful effervescent litewater drink which millions of men and women take now and then to keep the kidneys and urinary organs clean, thus avoiding serious kidney disease.

Workman's bread saves you 2 cents on every loaf. A 15c loaf for 13c.



It's plain to see that Will McGee is honest as a man can be. He always sends or recommends that you use Golden Sun, you see.



HONEST coffee must be honestly blended, honestly roasted, honestly cut and honestly packed. Such coffee is sold by honest grocers. Peddlers don't care what they sell. Your merchants do. Patronize them. They deserve your patronage.

The Woolson Spice Co.
Cledo, Ohio

Buy Coffee at Your Grocer's Only

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Kramer and family, of Tennessee, are guests at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Kramer on Nichol street.

OF INTEREST TO WOMEN

As late as 1878 Portugal had a law forbidding widows above the age of 50 to marry.

The poorest Arab woman paints her eyes with kohl to make them appear larger and more brilliant.

A Kansas telephone company official complains that women seem unable to learn how to use the telephone properly.

The Toronto (Ont.) Presbytery has decided to allow women to occupy the pulpits and take full charge of the services on one Sunday of the year.

The first woman to obtain the degree of a Doctor of Law in France was Mlle. Samira Sileesco, a Roumanian by birth, who attained the distinction in 1890.

Angeica Kauffman, about the first famous woman painter in the world, was one of the original thirty-six members of the Royal Academy in London, founded in 1768.

Probably the first woman to regularly drive a stage coach was Mrs. S. A. Houser, who in the late '70s drove the mail-coach between Gettysburg and Chambersburg, Pa.

One of the first American women editors was Mrs. Sarah Josepha Hale, who edited the Godey's Lady's Book for fifty years and did not lay aside her pen until her ninetieth year.

Queen Victoria of Spain has a considerable knowledge of dramatic technique and once wrote a very successful little play in French for the members of the Spanish court at San Sebastian.

Martha Washington was the first woman to enjoy the franking privilege in the United States. In 1800, after her husband's death Congress gave her the free use of the mails during the remainder of her life.

AID SOCIETY MEETING

The Children's Aid Society will meet at the Home, Friday, December 26th, at 3 P. M. A full attendance is desired.

Leonardson's---Quality Store

Christmas 1919

Today we stand on the threshold of the anniversary of the birth of the Most Wonderful Life the world has ever or will ever know. We have reason to be joyful. The year has been prosperous; most of the boys are again with us, having braved battle and sudden death with a smile and come thru a glory to American manhood.

To this store and business the year has been one of unprecedented prosperity. Therefore we are thankful. And honestly, conscientiously and enthusiastically we wish you a MERRY CHRISTMAS.

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Attention Feed Buyers, Farmers, Dairy-Men, Buy Feeds At Less Than Car Load Prices. Our Five Day Get Acquainted For The New-Year-Sale. Our Old Friends Know Us, They Do Not Need Prices, But We Want New Friends. Please Note Prices In Hundreds, Good From Friday December Twenty Sixth, Until New-Year-Day. Pure Wheat Bran, \$2.25, Fancy Country Middlings, \$2.50, Flour Middlings, \$2.90, Low-Grade-Flour Or Red-Dog, \$3.40. Pure Home Ground Corn Chop In Full Hundreds \$3.70, Fancy Scratch Feed \$3.80, Strictly Cash. Mail Or Telephone Your Orders To

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Be Merry Comes This Wish
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Wished For So That In
Truth You May Have
A MERRY XMAS

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Wishes

You A

Merry Xmas

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Help For
Last Minute Shoppers

You will find us here tonight with a splendid array of things for your Xmas dinner. Especially

Crisp Celery

It arrived on the morning train and we must say that it is exceptional.

Other Produce

Everything the market affords is here aplenty and if you have let your dinner buying go until the last minute, you will find us here to serve.

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